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9:40 PM NITEL 10-26-71 ALH

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TO DIRECTOR  
MEMPHIS (164-76)  
FROM JACKSONVILLE (164-103)

GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., AKA (DECEASED); [REDACTED] SUSAN [REDACTED]  
LAKICH GIFFE, AKA - VICTIM (DECEASED); BRENT QUINTON DOWNS - VICTIM  
(DECEASED), CAA - HIJACKING, CARRYING CONCEALED WEAPON, INTIMI-  
DATION OF CREW MEMBERS, KIDNAPPING, FTCA, OO: JK.

JACKSONVILLE DAILY SUMMARY

ON THIS DATE EFFORTS TO LOCATE PILOT WITNESSES AT AIRKAMAN  
NEGATIVE AS THESE INDIVIDUALS PRESENTLY ON OUT-OF-TOWN FLIGHT.  
EXPECTED TO RETURN TO JACKSONVILLE, OCTOBER TWENTY SEVEN NEXT AND WILL  
BE LOCATED AND INTERVIEWED.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM WEATHER FACILITIES AT JACK-  
SONVILLE AND LEADS SET FORTH TO OBTAIN REQUIRED DATA TO BE USED IN  
FLIGHT EVALUATION BEING MADE BY FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION.

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INFORMATION DEVELOPED THROUGH FAA INDICATING LEAR JET AIRCRAFT OPERATING ONCE A MONTH AT FERNANDINA BEACH AIRPORT. INVESTIGATION CONTINUING TO DETERMINE IDENTITY OF OWNER AND OPERATOR OF THIS AIRCRAFT.

BUREAU AGENT FROM FBI LABORATORY OBTAINED ORIGINAL RERECORDING OF ORIGINAL TAPES IN POSSESSION OF FAA AT JACKSONVILLE.

NO ADDITIONAL DEVELOPMENTS AT OFFICE OF UNITED STATES ATTORNEY, JACKSONVILLE, THIS DATE AND ATTORNEY [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] JACKSONVILLE ATTORNEY DID NOT APPEAR AT RECORDING SESSION STATING THAT HE DID NOT FEEL THIS INFORMATION PERTAINED TO HIS CASE.

THIS INVESTIGATION RECEIVING PREFERRED ATTENTION AT JACKSONVILLE.

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8:45PM NITEL 10-26-71 BFT

TO DIRECTOR

JACKSONVILLE (164-103)

MEMPHIS (164-76)

FROM NEWARK (164-191) (P)

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GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR. (DECEASED); [REDACTED]  
MRS. GEORGE M. GIFFE, JR., AKA-VICTIM (DECEASED); BRENT DOWNS-  
VICTIM (DECEASED); [REDACTED]-VICTIM; CAA-HIJACKING;  
KIDNAPPING; FTCA; (OO: JACKSONVILLE)

RE MEMPHIS TELETYPE TO BUREAU, OCTOBER TWENTY TWO, LAST.

NEWARK INDICES NEGATIVE REGARDING [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] OR VARIATIONS.

TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] LISTED TO [REDACTED]

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ON THIS DATE, [REDACTED] SECURITY OFFICER, VORNADO  
COMPANY, PARENT COMPANY OF TWP GUYS, ONE SEVEN FOUR PASSAIC,  
GARFIELD, NEW JERSEY, ADVISED THAT THEIR RECORDS REFLECT

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[REDACTED] DATE OF BIRTH [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] SIX FEET, ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY FIVE POUNDS, WAS  
EMPLOYED FROM NINETEEN SIXTY SEVEN TO MARCH TWELVE, NINETEEN  
SIXTY NINE, IN THE DRUG DEPARTMENT, TWO GUYS, NEWARK, NEW  
JERSEY STORE. APPLICATION DATED NINETEEN SIXTY SEVEN REFLECTS  
PERSON TO BE NOTIFIED [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] NO CURRENT INFORMATION  
AVAILABLE.

RECORDS, NEWARK, NEW JERSEY, POLICE DEPARTMENT, REFLECT  
[REDACTED] POLICE DEPARTMENT NUMBER [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] ARRESTED ON JULY TWENTY ONE, NINETEEN  
SIXTY ONE FOR [REDACTED] WAS ORDERED TO  
PAY SUPPORT OF SEVEN DOLLARS PER WEEK TO [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] DESCRIBED AS A NEGRO MALE, DATE OF BIRTH [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

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SIX FEET, ONE INCH; ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY EIGHT POUNDS, BLACK  
HAIR, BROWN EYES, COMPLEXION LIGHT, OCCUPATION FACTORY WORKER,  
SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] SINGLE, ADDRESS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] PHOTOGRAPH FURNISHED.

NEW JERSEY BELL TELEPHONE DIRECTORY, NEWARK, NEW JERSEY  
AREA FAILED TO REFLECT A NATIONAL COUNCIL OF NEGRO WOMEN,

[REDACTED] OR A [REDACTED] NEWARK DIRECTORY REFLECTS NEIGHBOR-  
HOOD HOUSE, [REDACTED]

INVESTIGATION NEGATIVE [REDACTED]

REGARDING [REDACTED] NO SUCH PERSON RESIDING IN THE APART-  
MENT COMPLEX.

INVESTIGATION [REDACTED]

NEGATIVE REGARDING [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
ADVISED THAT SHE HAS NOT SEEN OR HEARD FROM HER SON, [REDACTED]  
SINCE APPROXIMATELY APRIL, LAST. SHE STATED SHE BELIEVED HE WAS  
LIVING IN NORTH CAROLINA, TOWN UNKNOWN, WITH A GIRL HE HAD  
RECENTLY MARRIED. SHE STATED GIRL'S MAIDEN NAME WAS [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] AND THAT HE MET HER WHILE SHE WAS STAYING AT THE  
YOUNG WOMEN'S CATHOLIC ASSOCIATION (YWCA), NEWARK, NEW JERSEY.  
SHE ADVISED THAT SHE KNEW NO FRIENDS OR ASSOCIATES OF HER SON  
OR [REDACTED] SHE ADDED THAT SHE KNEW OF NO ONE NAMED GIFFE.

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[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT HER SON WAS LAST EMPLOYED WITH  
S. KLEIN, NEWARK, NEW JERSEY AND THAT AFTER MARRYING [REDACTED] THEY  
DECIDED TO MOVE OUT OF STATE OF NEW JERSEY. SHE ADDED  
THAT SHE COULD FURNISH NO ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

[REDACTED] PERSONNEL, S. KLEINS, NEWARK, NEW JERSEY,  
ADVISED THAT [REDACTED] WAS EMPLOYED FROM NOVEMBER, NINETEEN  
SIXTY NINE UNTIL MAY THIRTY, NINETEEN SEVENTY. HOME ADDRESS  
LISTED AS [REDACTED]

HE STATED THAT HE RECALLS RECEIVING A TELEPHONE CALL FROM  
[REDACTED] DURING APPROXIMATELY JULY, LAST, CONCERNING HIS EM-  
PLOYMENT WITH A TOY COMPANY IN TENNESSEE. NO OTHER INFORMATION  
WAS RECALLED.

RECORDS, NEWARK YWCA REFLECT THAT [REDACTED] DURING  
THE PAST YEAR RESIDED WITH THEM ON THREE OCCASIONS. SHE WAS  
LISTED AS BEING AN EVANGELIST. PERSONS TO CONTACT WRE LISTED  
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MEMPHIS AT NESHVILLE, WILL ATTEMPT TO LOCATE AND INTER-  
VIEW [REDACTED] NOTING ABOVE NAMES AND  
ADDRESSES.

NEWARK CONTINUING INVESTIGATION TO LOCATE [REDACTED]

END

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI  
ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY

DATE: 10/19/71

FROM : SAC, MEMPHIS (164-76) (P)

SUBJECT: GEORGE MALLERY GIFFE, JR. (DECEASED);  
[REDACTED]

MRS. GEORGE M. GIFFE, JR., aka -  
VICTIM (DECEASED)

CAA - HIJACKING; KIDNAPING

(OO Jacksonville)

Re Memphis nitel to the Bureau and Jacksonville  
dated 10/8/71 and Memphis nitel to the Bureau dated 10/14/71.

Transmitted herewith under separate cover via RM  
are the following 6 items of clothing:

One pair of undershorts, light green in color

One short-sleeve sport shirt, plaid in color

One pair of blue pants

One white undershirt

One pair of blue socks

One pair of black shoes

The transmitted clothes were being worn by pilot  
BRENT DOWNS at the time he was killed during the process of  
instant hijacking in Jacksonville, Fla.

The Bureau has been provided with background in-  
formation in this case where subjects, on 10/4/71, hijacked  
a Big Brother Aircraft at Nashville, Tenn., and landed in  
Jacksonville, Fla., same date.

- ③ - Bureau  
(1 - Package) (RM)  
2 - Memphis

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REQUEST OF THE BUREAU:

The FBI Laboratory is requested to examine enclosed clothing in an effort to determine if there are any powder residues on said clothing, if possible to determine the direction of the projectiles (2) which hit BRENT DOWNS at a time when he was reportedly seated in the pilot's seat of his aircraft, and to conduct any other logical examination which might be pertinent to instant investigation.

The Laboratory is also requested to return clothing to the Memphis Division in order that same might be returned to the contributor.

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143 PM EDST URGENT 10-22-71 MHM  
TO DIRECTOR ATTN: FBI LABORATORY  
FROM JACKSONVILLE (164-103) 1P

GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR. (DECEASED); [REDACTED] MRS. [REDACTED]  
GEORGE M. GIFFE, JR., AKA - VICTIM (DECEASED); BRENT DOWNS -  
VICTIM (DECEASED); [REDACTED] - VICTIM. CAA - HIJACKING;  
KIDNAPING; FTCA. JACKSONVILLE OO.

RE JACKSONVILLE TELCALL OCT. TWENTYONE, LAST.

WITH REGARD TO A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE LABORATORY MAKING A TAPE  
FROM THE ORIGINAL TAPES CURRENTLY MAINTAINED BY FAA UNDER COURT ORDER,  
IN JACKSONVILLE, CONTACT WITH THE U. S. ATTORNEY AT JACKSONVILLE  
HANDLING CASE DISCLOSED PLAINTIFF'S ATTORNEY NOT AVAILABLE THIS DATE  
FOR COORDINATION. ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN PERFECTED TO MAKE AVAILABLE  
THE TAPES AT THE FAA FACILITY AT JACKSONVILLE INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT  
ON AFTERNOON OCT. TWENTYSIX NEXT. JACKSONVILLE AGENTS WILL MEET  
LABORATORY MAN AND ASSIST IN ANY WAY THE PROMPT HANDLING OF THIS  
ASSIGNMENT.

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cc Mr. Bates

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9:17 PM NITEL 10-26-71 DMB

TO DIRECTOR

JACKSONVILLE (164-103)

FROM MEMPHIS (164-76)

GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., AKA (DECEASED);

SUSAN LAKICH GIFFE, AKA - VICTIM (DECEASED); BRENT

QUINTON DOWNS - VICTIM (DECEASED);

VICTIM; CAA - HIJACKING, INTIMIDATION OF CREW MEMBERS, CARRY-  
ING A CONCEALED WEAPON; KIDNAPPING; FTCA (OOC JACKSONVILLE)

MEMPHIS NITEL SUMMARY OCTOBER TWENTYSIX, INSTANT.

THIS DATE OFFICIALS, INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE, NASHVILLE,  
TENNESSEE, ADVISED THEIR RECORDS REGARDING AUDIT OF SUBJECT  
GIFFE, NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT THROUGH NINETEEN SEVENTY TAX YEARS,  
CAN BE MADE AVAILABLE THROUGH FORMAL REQUEST OF USA, MDT,  
NASHVILLE, TO DISTRICT DIRECTOR, IRS, NASHVILLE, WHICH WILL  
BE DONE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. EX-100

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SKETCH, PHOTOGRAPHS, AND CERTIFIED COPY NASHVILLE

METROPOLITAN AIRPORT REGARDING BIG BROTHERS AIRCRAFT, INCORPORATED  
IS IN DICTATION AND TO BE FORWARDED TO EXHIBITS SECTION AS  
SOON AS POSSIBLE.

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THIS DATE USA CHARLES H. ANDERSON, MDT, NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE, ADVISED LAST IN P. M. OF OCTOBER TWENTYFIVE, LAST, HIS OFFICE RECEIVED FROM WSM, INCORPORATED -- TV A MOTION TO INTERVENE AS PLAINTIFFS SEEKING ORDER MAKING PUBLIC THE TAPES OF RADIO CONVERSATION UNDER PUBLIC INFORMATION ACT, TITLE FIVE, SECTION FIVE FIVE TWO, USC.

USA ANDERSON ALSO STATED THIS DATE HIS OFFICE RECEIVED AMENDMENT TO PETITIONS TO PERPETUATE EVIDENCE PREVIOUSLY FILED. THIS AMENDMENT ADDS ADDITIONAL PERSONS FROM WHOM PETITIONERS WISH TO SECURE DEPOSITIONS. THIS LIST INCLUDED

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PERSONNEL AT JACKSONVILLE CENTER AND JACKSONVILLE TOWER. ALSO INCLUDED WAS [REDACTED] FBI AGENT AT NASHVILLE, AND ANY OTHER FEDERAL EMPLOYEES PRESENT AT JACKSONVILLE TOWER DURING COMMUNICATIONS TO HIJACKED AIRPLANE. MOTION ALSO ADDS ADDITIONAL PARAGRAPH FOR PETITIONERS TO HEAR, COPY, OF TRANSCRIBE ANY AND ALL RECORDED CONVERSATIONS BETWEEN AGENT OF FBI REGARDING HANDLING AND DISPENSING INFORMATION REGARDING HIJACKED AIRCRAFT.

THIS DATE HEARING IN P. M. , USDC JUDGE FRANK GRAY, JR.

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CONTINUED HEARING UNTIL NOVEMBER ONE, NEXT, TO ALLOW ADDITIONAL BRIEFS TO BE FILED BY PLAINTIFFS IN RESPONSE TO GOVERNMENTS RESPONSE, AND TOOK NO ACTION THIS DATE.

COPIES OF NEWLY FILED MOTIONS WILL BE FORWARDED TO BUREAU.

THIS CASE RECEIVING PREFERRED AND CONTINUOUS ACTION.

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GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., AKA (DECEASED); [REDACTED]  
SUSAN LAKICH GIFFE, AKA DASH VICTIM (DECEASED); BRENT QUINTON DOWNS  
DASH VICTIM (DECEASED); [REDACTED] DASH VICTIM, CAA DASH  
HIJACKING, INTIMIDATION OF CREW MEMBERS, CARRYING A CONCEALED WEAPON  
ABOARD AIRCRAFT, KIDNAPING, FTCA, OO: JK.

JACKSONVILLE DAILY SUMMARY DASH OCT. TWENTYSEVEN, SEVENTYONE.

[REDACTED] PILOTS FOR CHARTER OIL, JACKSONVILLE, FLA., INTERVIEWED THIS DATE AT JACKSONVILLE.

[REDACTED] STATES HE HEARD INITIAL TWO SHOTS FIRED APPARENTLY FROM WITHIN AIRCRAFT AND HE THEN WENT INTO TERMINAL BUILDING. STATES HE RETURNED TO THE OUTSIDE OF THE TERMINAL BUILDING IN PERIOD OF LESS THAN TEN MINUTES AT WHICH TIME HE HEARD SECOND GROUP OF GUN SHOTS APPARENTLY FIRED BY AGENT PERSONNEL.

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[ ] STATES HE HEARD INITIAL TWO SHOTS APPARENTLY FROM WITH-  
IN AIRCRAFT SHORTLY AFTER AIRCRAFT HAD COMPLETED ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY  
DEGREE TURN AND STOPPED. HE SAID EXACT TIME OF HIS HEARING SHOTS FROM  
THE TIME THE AIRCRAFT ACTUALLY STOPPED CANNOT BE ESTIMATED BY HIM,  
ALTHOUGH HE DOES RECALL GOING INTO TERMINAL BUILDING AND THEN RETURNING.  
APPROXIMATELY FIVE TO SEVEN MINUTES AND THAT AFTER HE RETURNED TO  
THIS AIRCRAFT, IT WAS THEN THAT HE HEARD SHOTS FIRED BY AGENT  
PERSONNEL. HE SAID THAT HE WOULD ADMIT SOME CONFUSION IN HIS MIND  
BETWEEN THE PERIOD OF TIME THAT ENTIRE HIJACKING INCIDENT TOOK PLACE,  
WHICH HE NOW ESTIMATES TO BE TWENTYFIVE MINUTES FROM BEGINNING TO END  
AND THE TIME IN BETWEEN THE FIRST SHOTS HE HEARD AND THOSE OF THE  
AGENT PERSONNEL. HE FURTHER STATED HE WOULD ESTIMATE TIME INVOLVED  
WHEN AGENTS INITIALLY BEGAN SHOOTING AT THE RIGHT TIRES OF AIRCRAFT  
TO FINAL SHOTS INTO ENGINE AS APPROXIMATELY FIVE MINUTES.

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USA'S OFFICE, JACKSONVILLE, CONTACTED THIS DATE AND ADVISED  
OF COURT ACTION TAKEN AT NASHVILLE BY PLAINTIFFS AND LOCAL TV STATION.  
USA'S OFFICE ADVISED THEY WILL MAINTAIN CLOSE CONTACT WITH NASH-  
VILLE OFFICE OF USA CONCERNING GOVERNMENT'S REPLIES TO THESE  
ACTIONS AND REQUESTED MEMPHIS DIVISION OBTAIN ALL COPIES OF ANY  
PETITIONS FILED IN THIS MATTER AND FORWARD THEM TO JACKSONVILLE FOR  
REVIEW.

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MEMPHIS AT NASHVILLE, TENN., WILL INSURE ABOVE REQUESTED DOCUMENTS ARE PROMPTLY OBTAINED AND FORWARDED TO BUREAU AND JACKSONVILLE.

[REDACTED] EMPLOYEE, AIRKAMAN, NOT AVAILABLE FOR INTERVIEW THIS DATE DUE TO ILLNESS.

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SKETCHES, PHOTOGRAPHS, AND MAPS OF CRIME SCENE AREA, JACKSONVILLE IN DICTATION FOR SUBMISSION TO EXHIBIT SECTION OF BUREAU.

MEMPHIS IS REQUESTED TO ADVISE STATUS OF INVESTIGATION CONCERNING: WESTERN UNION MONEY ORDER DIRECTED TO SUBJECT GIFFE IN AMOUNT OF TWELVE THOUSAND DOLLARS FROM SOUTH AMERICAN SOURCE AS PREVIOUSLY SET OUT BY JACKSONVILLE BY LEAD.

JACKSONVILLE HAS SET OUT LEAD FOR ST. LOUIS FOR RECORDS CENTER CHECK RE NAVY RECORDS OF SUBJECT [REDACTED] AND OKLAHOMA CITY HAS BEEN FORWARDED WINDS ALOFT REPORT AS SECURED BY CHARLOTTE DIVISION.

JACKSONVILLE CONTINUING REVIEW OF INFORMATION DEVELOPED ON THIS MATTER AND TELETYPE LEADS BEING INITIATED.

THIS MATTER RECEIVING CONTINUOUS AND PREFERRED ATTENTION.

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4:45 PM NITEL 10-25-71 CNF

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TO: DIRECTOR

JACKSONVILLE (164-103)

FROM: MEMPHIS (164-76)

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MRS. GEORGE M. GIFFE, AKA DASH VICTIM (DECEASED); BRENT DOWNS DASH

VICTIM (DECEASED); [REDACTED] DASH VICTIM. CAA DASH HIJACKING; [REDACTED]

KIDNAPING; FTCA. OO: JACKSONVILLE.

MEMPHIS NITEL SUMMARY OCTOBER TWENTYFIVE SEVENTYONE.

OFFICIAL ST. CLAIRS OF NASHVILLE, A FAMILY RESTURANT ADVISED  
SUBJECT GIFFE HAD ACCOUNT NUMBER SEVEN SIX ONE CLOSED THREE YEARS  
AGO WITH NO UNPAID BALANCE.

TENNESSEE REAL ESTATE COMMISSION, NASHVILLE, TENN., VERIFIED  
SUBJECT GIFFE HAD REAL ESTATE COMMISSION WITH NO DEROGATORY  
INFORMATION IN FILE.

CERTIFIED COPY OF NASHVILLE METRO AIR PORT LAY OUT, SKETCH  
AND PHOTOGRAPHS TO BE FORWARDED TO EXHIBITS SECTION WEEK OF OCT.  
TWENTYSIX NEXT.

BUREAU WILL BE PROMPTLY ADVISED OF RESULTS OF HEARING USDC  
MDT NASHVILLE THREE THIRTY P.M. OCT. TWENTYSIX NEXT RE CIVIL ACTIONS  
IN THIS CASE.

THIS CASE RECEIVING PREFERRED AND CONTINUOUS ATTENTION.

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9:50PM NITEL 10-22-71 DBC

TO: DIRECTOR

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FROM: MEMPHIS (164-76)

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MRS. GEORGE M. GIFFE, AKA - VICTIM (DECEASED); BRENT DOWNS

- VICTIM (DECEASED); [REDACTED] - VICTIM; CAA - HIJACKING  
KIDNAPING; FTCA; OO: JACKSONVILLE.

RE BUREAU NITEL TO MEMPHIS AND JACKSONVILLE OCTOBER  
TWENTYONE LAST.

MEMPHIS DAILY SUMMARY OCTOBER TWENTYTWO SEVENTYONE. THIS  
DATE U. S. DISTRICT COURT CLERK'S OFFICE, MDT, NASHVILLE,  
ADVISED PASSPORT RECORDS NOT FILED IN NASHVILLE AND ALL ARE  
FORWARDED TO PASSPORT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C. LEAD FOR WFO  
TO CHECK PASSPORTS OF SUBJECT GIFFE AND VICTIM GIFFE SET FORTH  
IN SEPARATE COMMUNICATION.

THIS DATE REPRESENTATIVES OF SUPER-X AT TWO NASHVILLE  
LOCATIONS ADVISED PRESCRIPTION NUMBERS TWO ONE ONE NINE TWO  
AND TWO EIGHT FOUR SEVEN FOUR ARE OVULEN TWENTYONE, WHICH ARE  
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BIRTH CONTROL PILLS.

THIS DATE [REDACTED] COMMERCE UNION BANK, GREEN  
HILLS BRANCH, NASHVILLE, STATED CONTINENTAL RESEARCH CONSULTANTS  
NOT INCORPORATED AND DOES NOT KNOW FUNCTION OR PURPOSE OF  
FIRM. GIFFE IS LISTED AS ONLY SIGNOR AND THE ACCOUNT HAS BEEN  
CLOSED.

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INVESTIGATION AT NASHVILLE HAS DETERMINED [REDACTED]  
RESIDES AT [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] AND LEADS FOR KNOXVILLE AT CLEVELAND HAVE BEEN SET FORTH  
BY SEPARATE COMMUNICATION.

SOURCE AT [REDACTED] ADVISED SUBJECT GIFFE PERSONALLY  
KNOWN TO HIM BUT DOES NOT KNOW SUBJECT [REDACTED] SOURCE SAYS  
THAT KNOWING GIFFE AS WELL AS HE DOES, FOR PAST SEVERAL YEARS,  
GIFFE WOULD NOT HAVE HIJACKED AIRPLANE NOR HAVE CONSIDERED  
SUICIDE HAD NOT [REDACTED] GONE ALONG. HE STATED  
GIFFE NEVER DID ANYTHING ALONE AND ALWAYS NEEDED THE ASSURANCE  
THAT ANOTHER PERSON WAS COMMITTED TO THE SAME  
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COURSE OF ACTION. HE HAS OBSERVED GIFFE [REDACTED] FLASHING  
NASHVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT COMMISSION CARD AND A CARD INDICATING  
GIFFE HAS BLACK BELT IN KARATE. HE STATED GIFFE CLAIMED TO HAVE  
MAFIA CONNECTIONS AND CONTACTS ARE [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

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HE STATED GIFFE CLAIMED THAT [REDACTED] WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR  
FAILURE OF GIFFE'S CORPORATION, AL HIRT MARDI GRAS INTERNATIONAL,  
AND STATED THAT WHEN [REDACTED] WAS INJURED IN THE MOUTH BY A BRICK,  
GIFFE EXPLAINED THIS WAS RETALIATION BY THE MAFIA. HE SAID  
GIFFE FLASHED IN HIS PRESENCE TWO CERTIFICATES AND GIFFE CLAIMED  
THESE TO BE SWISS BANK ACCOUNTS. THIS WAS SOMETIME EARLY SEVENTYONE AND  
RECALLS SEEING FIGURE ON CERTIFICATE OF FOUR HUNDRED THOUSAND  
TO FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS. ON FACE OF CERTIFICATE WERE  
WORDS "BANQUE OF GENEVE" AND GIFFE KEPT THESE IN SMALL STRONG  
BOX. SOURCE STATED [REDACTED] LIVES IN [REDACTED]  
AND BELIEVES [REDACTED] ALSO ASSOCIATE OF GIFFE,  
RECENTLY RETURNED TO AIR FORCE AS AN OFFICER.  
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ON OCTOBER TWENTYONE LAST WLAC-TV, INC., NASHVILLE TV  
STATION FILED MOTION TO INTERVENE IN THIS MATTER UNDER RULE  
OF FEDERAL RULE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE IN ORDER TO  
TWENTYFOUR (A) ~~XX~~  
FILE PETITION ATTACHED TO MOTION. MOTION ASSERTS WLAC-TV HAS  
AN INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY WHICH IS SUBJECT OF ORIGINAL ACTION  
ON PART OF BIG BROTHERS AIRCRAFT, INC. MOTION FURTHER STATES  
STATION IS PROCEEDING UNDER THE PUBLIC INFORMATION ACT, TITLE  
FIVE, SECTION FIVE FIVE TWO, U. S. CODE TO SECURE TAPE RECORDINGS  
OR COPIES FOR THEIR OWN USE. PETITION STATES STATION HAS  
ATTEMPTED TO HAVE TAPES MADE AVAILABLE BY DEFENDANTS BUT THEY  
HAVE REFUSED; FURTHER, THAT THESE TAPES ARE OF SUBSTANTIAL AND  
LEGITIMATE PUBLIC INTEREST AND ARE PUBLIC RECORDS AVAILABLE UNDER  
TITLE FIVE, SECTION FIVE FIVE TWO, U. S. CODE, WHICH REQUIRES THAT  
SUCH HEARING BE MADE ABAILABLE TO ANY PERSON REQUEST. HEARING  
ON THIS MOTION SCHEDULED FOR OCTOBER TWENTYSIX NEXT AND BUREAU  
WILL BE PROMPTLY ADVISED OF RESULTS.

JACKSONVILLE AT JACKSONVILLE. IN INVENTORY OF PERSONAL  
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ITEMS OF SUBJECT GIFFE DETERMINE IF THERE ARE CERTIFICATES  
FOR SWISS ACCOUNTS OR ANY ITEMS RESEMBLING SAME AND CONSIDER  
POSSIBILITY OF FORWARDING SAME FOR DISPLAY TO INFORMANT AT

WHO CAN POSSIBLY IDENTIFY SWISS ACCOUNT STATEMENT

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FLASHED HIM BY GIFFE.

THIS CASE RECEIVING PREFERRED AND CONTINUOUS ACTIONS. P.

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COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

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Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Miller	ES
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Dalbey	_____
Mr. Cleveland	_____
Mr. Ponder	_____
Mr. Bates	_____
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Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

NR 021 WF PLAIN

12:26 AM NITEL 10-26-71 MWM

TO DIRECTOR

ALEXANDRIA

JACKSONVILLE

KNOXVILLE

MEMPHIS

FROM WASHINGTON FIELD (164-166) (NINE PAGES)

GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., (DECEASED); [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] MRS. GEORGE M. GIFFE, JR., ALSO KNOWN AS - VICTIM

(DECEASED); BRENT DOWNS - VICTIM (DECEASED); [REDACTED] -

VICTIM; CAA- HIJACKING; KIDNAPING; FTCA; OO: JACKSONVILLE.

RE JACKSONVILLE TELETYPE TO BUREAU, ATLANTA, MEMPHIS  
AND WFO, DATED OCTOBER TWENTYONE SEVENTYONE; MEMPHIS NITEL  
TO BUREAU TWENTYTWO, SEVENTYONE; AND MEMPHIS NITEL TO BUREAU,  
JACKSONVILLE, DALLAS, AND WFO, DATED OCTOBER TWENTYTHREE,  
SEVENTYONE.

FOR INFORMATION OF ALEXANDRIA, THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION

IS SET FORTH:

6 OCT 27 1971

REFERENCED MEMPHIS TELETYPE, DATED OCTOBER TWENTYTHREE

LAST, REFLECTS THAT [REDACTED]

STATED SUBJECT GIFFE DURING MALARIA ATTACKS MENTIONED NAME

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[REDACTED] WHO IS IN UNITED STATES AIR FORCE  
AND STATIONED AT WASHINGTON, D.C. SUBJECT GIFFE AND [REDACTED]  
REPORTEDLY WERE BUSINESS ACQUAINTAINCES. REVIEW OF SUBJECT  
GIFFE'S ADDRESS BOOK AT NASHVILLE LISTED SEVERAL WASHINGTON,  
D.C., AREA TELEPHONE NUMBERS FOR [REDACTED] WHICH WERE SET FORTH  
IN REFERENCED MEMPHIS TELETYPE.

EFFORTS BY WFO TO ARRANGE APPOINTMENT WITH [REDACTED]  
DISCLOSE HE IS [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] CAN BE CONTACTED ON TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] AND IS CURRENTLY ON LEAVE UNTIL NOVEMBER  
ONE, NEXT.

ALEXANDRIA NOTE THAT WFO IS NOT IN RECEIPT OF DETAILS OF  
ACTUAL HIJACKING AND SUBSEQUENT EVENTS ABOARD THE AIRCRAFT.  
INSTANT, FILES OF PASSPORT OFFICE, UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT  
OF STATE, WASHINGTON, D.C., DISCLOSED THAT GEORGE M. GIFFE,  
JR., WAS ISSUED PASSPORT A- ONE ZERO THREE TWO SIX FIVE TWO  
AT NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA, ON JUNE SEVENTEEN, SEVENTY, FOR  
PROPOSED TRAVEL FOR THREE WEEKS TO QUOTE ANY COUNTRY APPROVED  
BY UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT UNQUOTE. IN HIS APPLICATION  
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DATED JUNE SIXTEEN, SEVENTY, AT NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE, GIFFE STATED HIS INTENTION TO DEPART BY AIR ABOUT JUNE TWENTYTWO, SEVENTY. HE EXPECTED TO TAKE ANOTHER TRIP ABROAD WITHIN THE YEAR. THIS PASSPORT WAS VALID TO ALL COUNTRIES EXCEPT CUBA, MAINLAND CHINA, NORTH KOREA AND NORTH VIETNAM. GIFFE'S APPLICATION FURTHER DISCLOSED HE WAS BORN ON JULY ELEVEN, THIRTYSIX, AT CHATTANOOGA, TENNSEE, AND LISTED HIS PERMANENT RESIDENCE AS GEORGETOWN APARTMENTS, NINE - C, FIVE ZERO TWO FIVE HILLSBORO ROAD (APPARENTLY NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE) AND HIS MAILING ADDRESS AS SUIT EIGHT ONE ZERO, ONE EIGHT ZERO EIGHT WEST END BUILDING, NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE, TELEPHONE TWO FIVE SIX - SIX THREE TWO TWO. GIFFE LISTED HIS FATHER AS LIETENANT COLONEL GEORGE M. GIFFE, SENIOR, BORN AT CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE, ON JUNE SEVENTEEN, NINETEEN ZERO SEVEN, AND HIS MOTHER AS HELEN LOUISE HUDLEY, BORN AT CHATTANOOGA ON JULY EIGHT, EIGHTEEN. GIFFE STATED HE WAS LAST MARRIED ON DECEMBER TWENTYONE, SIXTYEIGHT, TO SUSAN GERMAIN LAKICH BORN NOVEMBER SIX, FORTYSIX, AT NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE. GIFFE IDENTIFIED HIMSELF WITH TENNESSEE LICENCE ONE NINE ZERO NINE SIX NINE EIGHT. GIFFE DESCRIBED AS SIX FOOT ONE HALF INCH<sup>H</sup>,  
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BROWN HAIR, BROWN EYES, EMPLOYED AS A BROKER, SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER FOUR ZERO NINE- FIVE SIX- FOUR THREE SEVEN ONE.

PASSPORT FILES FURTHER REFLECTED THAT SUBJECT GIFFE WAS ISSUED PASSPORT A-ONE THREE NINE TWO SIX TWO TWO AT NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA, IN JUNE TWENTYNINE, SEVENTY, FOR PROPOSED TRAVEL TWO WEEKS FOR PURPOSE OF TRAVEL. INTENDED TRAVEL REFLECTED QUOTE ALL THOSE COUNTRIES LEGALLY RECOGNIZED BY THE UNITED STATES. UNQUOTE. IN HER APPLICATION, DATED JUNE TWENTYSIX, SEVENTY, AT NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE, SHE STATED HER INTENTION TO DEPART BY AIR ABOUT JULY FIVE, SEVENTY, AND THAT SHE EXPECTED TO TAKE ANOTHER TRIP ABROAD WITHIN THE YEAR. THIS PASSPORT, LIKE SUBJECT GIFFE'S WAS VALID FOR FIVE YEARS' TRAVEL TO ALL COUNTRIES EXCEPT CUBA, MAINLAND CHINA, NORTH KOREA AND NORTH VIETNAM.

MRS. GIFFE'S DATE OF BIRTH WAS REFLECTED AS NOVEMBER SIX, FORTYFIVE, AT NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE, AND SHE INDICATED IN HER APPLICATION THAT SHE HAD PREVIOUSLY BEEN INCLUDED ON A FIFTYSEVEN PASSPORT OF HER MOTHER, [REDACTED] WHICH IS NOT NOW VALID. HER PASSPORT FILE REFLECTED THE SAME RESIDENCE AND MARRIAGE INFORMATION AS DID SUBJECT GIFFE'S. SHE WAS

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DESCRIBED AS FIVE FEET SIX INCHES, BROWN HAIR, BROWN EYES,  
SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER [REDACTED]

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ATTORNEY [REDACTED] INTERVIEWED INSTANT AT HIS  
WASHINGTON, D.C., LAW OFFICE, WAS EXTREMELY COOPERATIVE, AND  
FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

HE OWNS A FARM AT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HE OFTEN SPENDS LEISURE TIME AT THIS FARM AND ON  
SEPTEMBER FIVE LAST, WAS VISITED AT THE FARM BY GEORGE  
DUGGER, SENATOR, A SEVENTYTHREE OR SEVENTYFOUR YEAR OLD  
ATTORNEY FROM ELIZABETHTON, TENNESSEE. DUGGER WAS ACCOMPANIED  
BY WHITE MAN NAMED GEORGE GIFFE AND NEGRO NAMED [REDACTED]  
DUGGER'S OFFICE TELEPHONE NUMBER IS SIX ONE FIVE- FIVE FOUR  
THREE-TWO TWO FIVE ONE AND HIS HOME TELEPHONE NUMBER IS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
THE PURPOSE OF THE VISIT WAS TO GET [REDACTED] TO USE HIS  
INFLUENCE TO DISSUADE ONE [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] FROM SELLING HIS  
INTERESTS IN THE CONSOLIDATED GOLD AND PYRITE CORPORATION OF  
WHICH ALL, INCLUDING [REDACTED] WERE STOCKHOLDERS. [REDACTED] HAS  
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KNOWN [ ] FOR APPROXIMATELY SIX YEARS THROUGH OTHER BUSINESS DEALS. [ ] DESCRIBED [ ] AS A QUOTE PROMOTER UNQUOTE AND AS A FRIEND OF DUGGER'S. HE NOTED [ ] HAS SOME CONNECTION WITH UNITED STATES SENATOR BILL BROCK, THE TWO HAVING POSSIBLY ATTENDED SCHOOL TOGETHER.

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ACCORDING TO DUGGER, NASHVILLE ATTORNEY [ ] HAD INTRODUCED DUGGER TO SUBJECT GIFFE AND HAD RECOMMENDED GIFFE AND [ ] TO DUGGER. [ ] NOT FAMILIAR WITH [ ] BUT NOTED HE IS ASSOCIATED WITH REPUTABLE LAW FIRM IN NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE. [ ] CAN BE CONTACTED IN CARE OF THE [ ] [ ] LAW OFFICES, [ ] [ ] NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE, TELEPHONE NUMBER [ ]

DURING AFORMENTIONED VISIT, IT WAS ASCERTAINED THAT GIFFE HAD BORROWED MONEY FROM THE COMMERCE UNION BANK IN NASHVILLE. GIFFE AND [ ] INDICATED TO [ ] THAT [ ] WAS GOING TO SELL HIS INTERESTS AND THAT THEY DESIRED THE TERMS OF A LEASE, WHICH HAD BEEN SIGNED BY [ ] ON MAY TWENTY, LAST, TO BE UPHELD. [ ] FURNISHED COPY OF THIS LEASE AND NOTED HE PROBABLY GAVE SUBJECT GIFFE ONE OF HIS BUSINESS CARDS WHILE

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AT THE FARM. PREVIOUSLY, ON SEPTEMBER THREE, LAST, [REDACTED] HAD MET [REDACTED] AT KNOXVILLE AIRPORT AND EXPLAINED HIS POSITION CONCERNING THE SALE OF HIS INTREST IN THE CONSOLIDATED GOLD AND PYRITE CORPORATION. IT WAS AT THAT TIME THAT [REDACTED] PROVIDED [REDACTED] WITH SEVERAL DOCUMENTS WHICH [REDACTED] MADE AVAILABLE INSTANT TO THE INTERVIEWING AGENT.

[REDACTED] FURTHER ADVISED THAT AFTER CAPTIONED HIJACKING DUGGER TELEPHONED HIM AND INFORMED HIM OF GIFFE'S INVOLVEMENT IN THE HIJACKING ATTEMPT. DUGGER INDICATED TO [REDACTED] THAT GIFFE QUOTE LOOKED CRAZY UNQUOTE TO HIM AND [REDACTED] ADMONISHED HIM FOR BECOMING INVOLVED WITH SUCH AN INDIVIDUAL.

LEADS: ALEXANDRIA AT ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA, ON NOVEMBER ONE NEXT WILL INTERVIEW [REDACTED] AT THE PENTAGON, [REDACTED] TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] RE HIS ASSOCIATION WITH AND KNOWLEDGE OF SUBJECT GIFFE.

KNOXVILLE, AT CLEVELAND, TENNESSEE. WILL, IF NOT ALREADY DONE SO, INTERVIEW [REDACTED] [REDACTED] RE HIS ASSOCIATION WITH AND KNOWLEDGE OF SUBJECT GIFFE.

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AT ELIZABETHTON, TENNESSEE. WILL INTERVIEW GEORGE  
DUGGER, OFFICE TELEPHONE NUMBER SIX ONE FIVE-FIVE FOUR THREE-  
TWO TWO FIVE ONE OR HOME NUMBER [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] RE DETAILS OF HIS ASSOCIATION WITH  
SUBJECT GIFFE.

MEMPHIS, AT NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE. (ONE) WILL INTERVIEW

[REDACTED] TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] RE HIS ASSOCIATION WITH AND KNOWLEDGE OF  
SUBJECT GIFFE. (TWO) WILL INTERVIEW ATTORNEY [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] RE HIS ASSOCIATION  
WITH AND KNOWLEDGE OF SUBJECT GIFFE. (THREE) WILL CONTACT  
COMMERCE UNION BANK ASCERTAIN DETAILS OF SUBJECT GIFFE'S  
TRANSACTIONS THERE.

WASHINGTON FIELD AT WASHINGTON, D.C. WILL FURNISH  
JACKSONVILLE DIVISION WITH FD THREE ZERO TWOS ALONG WITH COPIES  
OF PERTINENT DOCUMENTS FURNISHED BY WASHINGTON, D.C., ATTORNEY

[REDACTED] CERTIFIED COPIES OF QUOTE WINDS ALOFT  
FORECAST UNQUOTE FOR OCTOBER FOUR LAST BEING OBTAINED BY WFO  
AND WILL BE FORWARDED TO JACKSONVILLE.

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THE BUREAU HAS INSTRUCTED THIS CASE MUST RECIEVE PREFERRED  
AND CONTINUOUS ATTENTION. RESULTS OF LEADS MUST BE SENT BY  
TELETYPE AND ALL PERTINENT INFORMATION PLACED IN FD THREE  
ZERO TWOS.

MAIL COPIES SENT TO NEWARK AND ATLANTA.

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END

10-26-71

Plaintext

Airtel

To: SACs, Jacksonville (164-103)  
Memphis (164-76)

From: Director, FBI

GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., (DECEASED); ET AL.;  
CAA-HIJACKING; KIDNAPING

Re Jacksonville letter 10-15-71 submitting a bottle, Q20,  
and other items and Memphis airtel 10-19-71 submitting seven trans-  
parent lifts.

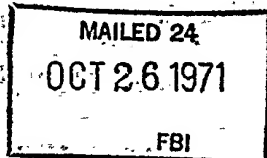
Latent fingerprints developed on bottle, Q20, and appear-  
ing on a lift labeled "left front door" identified as fingerprints  
of George Mallory Giffe, Jr., Examination continuing.

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Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
Miller, E.S. \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Dalbey \_\_\_\_\_  
Cleveland \_\_\_\_\_  
Ponder \_\_\_\_\_  
Bates \_\_\_\_\_  
Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Walters \_\_\_\_\_  
Soyars \_\_\_\_\_  
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Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

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MAIL ROOM ☒ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

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Date: 10/27/71

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL  
(Priority)

164-2042

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
ATTENTION: EXHIBITS SECTION

FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (164-76) - P -

SUBJECT: GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR. (DECEASED);  
MRS. GEORGE M. GIFFE, JR., aka -  
VICTIM (DECEASED);  
BRENT DOWNS - VICTIM (DECEASED);  
- VICTIM  
CAA-HIJACKING; KIDNAPING; FTCA  
(OO: Jacksonville)

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Re Jacksonville teletype to Bureau and Memphis  
10/15/71.

Enclosed for the Bureau, Exhibits Section, via registered mail are three copies of a sketch of Big Brothers Aircraft, Inc. (BBA), Nashville Metropolitan Airport; one certified copy of Nashville Metropolitan Airport layout plan; and five photographs of BBA, all Nashville, Tenn.

Enclosed for Jacksonville is one copy of sketch.

Jacksonville in retel requested the above be obtained and forwarded to the Exhibits Section.

Background information has been previously supplied to the Bureau in this case whereby Subjects hijacked airplane owned by BBA, Nashville, on 10/4/71 and landed in Jacksonville, Fla., on same date.

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2 - Jacksonville (164-103) (Enc. 1)  
2 - Memphis

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ENCLOSURE

Approved: [Signature]  
Special Agent in Charge

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For assistance of the Exhibits Section, the following information has been obtained as the result of investigation at Nashville, Tenn.:

The Cadillac used by Subject GEORGE M. GIFFE, JR., is a 1970 Cadillac, 2-door Coupe DeVille, color gold with black vinyl top, VIN J021742, bearing 1971 Tennessee license 2N9360. Color photographs have been obtained of this vehicle and forwarded to the Bureau for processing and copies designated for Bureau files.

[redacted] employed by BBA as a lineman, was eyewitness to hijacking. [redacted] stated at approximately 1:45 A.M., on 10/4/71, the Cadillac cornered the north side of the BBA hangar and braked to a stop at the corner of the building about 30 feet to the rear of the chartered airplane. The vehicle stopped with lights on, motor running, and later the doors were left open. Subject GIFFE approached the pilots while Subject [redacted] remained with Victim SUSAN GIFFE in the vehicle. Momentarily, as [redacted] got out of car, both [redacted] and GIFFE produced weapons and pointed them in general direction of airplane.

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[redacted] pilot for BBA, and co-pilot of hijacked airplane, said he was about 50 feet from Cadillac after it braked to a stop. He stated Cadillac came up to BBA from north side of BBA hangar and parked slightly to left rear of chartered aircraft approximately 50 feet from airplane. Vehicle was headed in south-southwesterly direction when it stopped in line with the end of the BBA hangar approximately 15 feet from the building.

The transmitted certified copy of the Nashville Metropolitan airport layout plan was obtained on 10/20/71 from [redacted] Nashville Metropolitan Airport, Nashville, Tenn., and the copy was reproduced from an FFA approved master plan layout. Exhibits Section note a BBA hangar is noted by light pencil tracings indicating the location of the hangar which is located in the mid-portion of the airport layout plan.

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Exhibits Section note that SUSAN GIFFE was a white female and all other individuals involved were white males. It is believed the Jacksonville Division has photographs and specifications of the hijacked airplane which may be needed to prepare appropriate exhibit.

The Exhibits Section is requested to follow instructions of the Jacksonville Division in preparation of exhibits in this case. Exhibits Section may retain sketches, photographs, as extra copies were made, and may also retain, if necessary, the Nashville Metropolitan Airport layout plan.

LEADS

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AT JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA. Advise Exhibits Section regarding instructions on preparation of exhibits.

THE BUREAU HAS INSTRUCTED THAT THIS CASE RECEIVE PREFERRED AND CONTINUOUS ATTENTION.

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Date: 10/28/71

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_ (Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL  
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY

FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (164-76) - P -

SUBJECT: GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR. (DECEASED);

Mrs. SUSAN LAKICH GIFFE, aka -  
VICTIM (DECEASED);  
BRENT QUINTON DOWNS, aka -  
VICTIM (DECEASED);  
[REDACTED] - VICTIM,  
CAA-HIJACKING; KIDNAPING; FTCA  
(OO: Jacksonville)

Re Memphis airtel to Bureau 10/21/71.

Enclosed herewith via registered mail are the original and one copy of the following items which contain the known handwriting of GEORGE M. GIFFE, JR. (deceased), Subject of this case:

- (1) One-page written message, "Love and fear," contained on hard, red-colored paper.
- (2) 14-page written message entitled, "General Biology Lecture #1," contained on yellow-colored, lined legal-size paper.
- (3) 3-page written message with notations, "Page 2," "Page 3," and "Page 4" contained on white-colored unlined legal-size paper.
- (4) 3-page written message entitled, "101 General Biology Lecture," contained on yellow-colored lined legal-size paper.

③ - Bureau (Enc. 8) <sup>ENCLOSURE</sup> 164-2  
2 - Jacksonville (164-103) <sup>"ENCLOSURE ATTACHED"</sup>  
2 - Memphis  
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Approved: NOV 24 1954  
Special Agent in Charge

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Laboratory note that referenced airtel transmitted five letters which were believed to have been written by Subject GEORGE M. GIFFE, JR. (deceased) recovered by the Nashville Metropolitan Police Department, Nashville, Tenn., in a 1970 Cadillac Coupe DeVille bearing Tennessee license 2N9360.

On 10/26/71, the transmitted written messages enclosed with this communication were obtained from GEORGE M. GIFFE, SR., father of deceased Subject GEORGE M. GIFFE, JR., who identified the transmitted writings of that of his son GEORGE M. GIFFE, JR. (deceased).

It is noted that background information in this case has been supplied in referenced airtel.

The FBI Laboratory is requested to compare the transmitted known handwriting with that of the questioned writings which were transmitted to the Laboratory in referenced Memphis airtel, which were five letters believed to have been written by GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR. (deceased). The Laboratory is requested to determine if Subject GIFFE did in fact write the suicide letters. The Laboratory, if feasible, is requested to compare the known handwriting of GEORGE M. GIFFE, JR. (deceased) with that of extortion notes on file in FBI Laboratory.

The Laboratory is also requested to conduct any other examination which might be logical to this investigation.

Upon completion of examination, the known handwriting of GEORGE M. GIFFE, JR., should be returned to the Memphis Division.

THE BUREAU HAS INSTRUCTED THAT THIS CASE RECEIVE PREFERRED AND CONTINUOUS ATTENTION.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Laboratory Work SheetRe: GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR. (Deceased);

File # 164-2042 - 119

Lab. # D-711101141 AX

Mrs. SUSAN LAKICH GIFFE, aka -

VICTIM (Deceased);

BRENT QUINTON DOWNS, aka -

VICTIM (Deceased)

CAA-HIJACKING; KIDNAPING; FTCA

Examination requested by: MEMPHIS (164-76) Airtel 10/28/71

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 11/1/71

Result of Examination:

Examination by: b6  
b7CSpecimens submitted for examination

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Known handwriting of GEORGE M. GIFFE, JR. consisting of:

- (1) One-page <sup>hand</sup>written message, "Love and fear," ~~contained~~ on ~~hard~~, red-colored paper.
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR. (Deceased);  
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File #

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Mrs. SUSAN LAKICH GIFFE, aka -  
VICTIM (Deceased);  
BRENT QUINTON DOWNS, aka -  
VICTIM (Deceased)

CAA-HIJACKING; KIDNAPING; FTCA

Examination requested by:

MEMPHIS (164-76) Airtel 10/28/71

Examination requested:

Document

Date received: 11/1/71

Result of Examination:

Examination by: [REDACTED]

*Returned*  
*11/8/71*

Specimens submitted for examination

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535**

To: SAC, Jacksonville (164-103)

Date:

November 8, 1971

**GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., aka (Deceased)**

Re: **SUSAN LAKICH GIFFE, aka -  
VICTIM (Deceased)  
CAA - HIJACKING; INTIMIDATION  
OF CREW MEMBERS; CARRYING A  
CONCEALED WEAPON; KIDNAPING;  
FTCA**

**OO: Jacksonville  
Examination requested by: Jacksonville - Memphis**

Reference: **Airtels 10/20/71 - 10/21/71, 10/20/71**

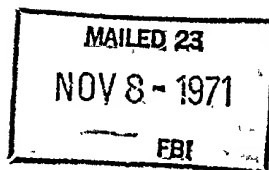
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*J. Edgar Hoover*  
John Edgar Hoover, Director

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**Enclosures (5) (Q46, Q47 and K6, 2 Lab report)  
2 - Memphis (164-76) Enclosures (20) (K7, Q29 through Q45,  
2 Lab report)**

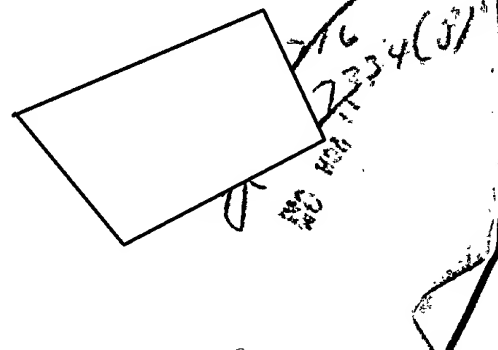
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# REPORT of the



## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Jacksonville (164-103)

Re: GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., aka.  
(Deceased) [redacted]  
SUSAN LAKICH GIFFE, aka - VICTIM (Deceased)  
et al.; CAA - HIJACKING; INTIMIDATION OF  
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Specimens received

from Memphis on 10/23/71

- Q29 Page one of handwritten letter to Susan beginning "Please, please keep..."
- Q30 Page two of handwritten letter to Susan beginning "he takes such good care..."
- Q31 Page three of handwritten letter to Susan beginning "and anytime things..."
- Q32 Page four of handwritten letter to Susan beginning "so much - to feel..."
- Q33 Page five of handwritten letter to Susan beginning "that I have always..."
- Q34 Page six of handwritten letter to Susan beginning "Susan, our life..."
- Q35 Page seven of handwritten letter to Susan beginning "milk shakes that..."
- Q36 Page eight of handwritten letter to Susan beginning "I had written..."
- Q37 Envelope bearing hand printed address [redacted]  
[redacted] Attention:  
[redacted]
- Q38 Handwritten letter to [redacted] beginning "When you read these lines..."
- Q39 Envelope bearing hand printed address, [redacted]

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Q40 Page one of handwritten letter to [ ] beginning  
"It goes without..."

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Q41 Page two of handwritten letter to [ ] beginning  
[ ] please realize..."

Q42 Page three of handwritten letter to [ ] beginning  
"it was mine to handle..."

Q43 Envelope bearing hand printed address, "Lt. Col.  
George M. Giffe, Jr., 324-Gaywood Drive, Nashville,  
Tenn. 37211"

Q44 Handwritten letter to Dad beginning "I love you with all..."

Q45 Note to [ ] beginning "Phone [ ] at [ ]"

Specimens received from Jacksonville on 10/30/71

Q46 Three-page handwritten "Will Declaration" of  
GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR.

Q47 Handwritten, nine page essay beginning "All my life..."

K6 Envelope and letter, dated Apr 15, 1965, from  
SUSAN LAKICH to [ ]

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Result of examination:

It was determined that GEORGE M. GIFFE, JR., K7, wrote Q29 through Q46 excluding the Q38, Q42 and Q46 signatures since no known signatures of GIFFE are available for comparison.

It was determined that Q47 was not written by GIFFE, K7, or by the writer of K6.

The submitted specimens were not identified in the Anonymous Letter File.

The submitted specimens were photographed. Q46, Q47 and K6 are returned herewith to Jacksonville. K7 and Q29 through Q45 are being forwarded with copies of this report to Memphis.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., aka. (deceased)  
[redacted]  
SUSAN LAKICH GIFFE, aka - VICTIM (Deceased)  
~~BRENT QUINTON DOWNS - VICTIM (Deceased)~~  
~~[redacted] - VICTIM~~

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CAA - HIJACKING; INTIMIDATION OF CREW  
MEMBERS; CARRYING A CONCEALED WEAPON;

Examination requested by: KIDNAPING, FBI  
JACKSONVILLE (164-103) Airtel 10/28/71

Examination requested: Document Date received: 10/30/71

Result of Examination: Examination by: [redacted]

*Gay*  
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Specimens submitted for examination

- ✓ Q46 *Three page letter* "Will Declaration" of GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR.
- ✓ Q47 Handwritten, nine page, essay ~~written to appear to have been composed by another person to GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR.~~  
*beginning "all my life is..."*
- ✓ K6 Envelope and letter, dated April 15, 1965, from SUSAN LAKICH to [redacted]  
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*11/8/71*  
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- Q29 → Q46 ident K7 ofel sigs Q38, 42 and 46  
~~Noth last 9 not K~~  
 since no kn sigs available for comp

FBI

Date: 10/28/71

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL  
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
(ATTN. FBI LABORATORY)

FROM: SAC, JACKSONVILLE (164-103) (P)

SUBJECT: GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., aka. (Deceased);

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SUSAN LAKICH GIFFE, aka. - VICTIM (Deceased);  
BRENT QUINTON DOWNS - VICTIM (Deceased);  
\_\_\_\_\_ - VICTIM

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KIDNAPING; FTCA  
(OO: JK)

Enclosed for the FBI Laboratory are the following items which were found in a blue, metal box which had been aboard Hawk Commander N9058N on October 4, 1971:

- 1) "Will Declaration" of GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR.
- 2) Envelope and letter, dated April, 1965, from SUSAN LAKICH to \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) Handwritten, 9 page, essay written to appear to have been composed by another person to GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR.

The Laboratory is requested to make handwriting comparisons between the above known and unknown documents to determine which documents were written by GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR.

- 2 - Bureau (enc. 3) (RM)  
1 - Memphis (164-73) (info)  
2 - Jacksonville  
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ENCLOSURE ATTACHED

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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_  
Special Agent in Charge

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Q46, 47 & K6

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The Laboratory is further requested to compare the "Will Declaration" and 9 page handwritten essay with the suicide note of GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., which is being submitted by the Memphis Office.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICERecorded  
11/2/71 cahLaboratory Work SheetRe: GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., aka. (deceased)  
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[REDACTED] VICTIMFile # 164-2042-120  
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KIDNAPING; FTCA

Examination requested by: JACKSONVILLE (164-103) Airtel 10/28/71

Examination requested: Document

Date received: 10/30/71

Result of Examination:

Examination by: [REDACTED]Specimens submitted for examination

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K7

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Testimony on

K7(1)

K7(3)

Q.46

## Love (And) Fear

I fear to live that I might lose  
those golden moments (and) tender  
years with you. And yet, to live  
and take that chance would  
mean to further that romance!

Because you see each great love  
is created out of heart ache  
and distant yearning. For only  
through this sort of love do I know  
just how very much I truly do  
love thee

W.B.  
10/26/31  
Nashville, TN

the golden strands of her hair <sup>①</sup> across her forehead as a gentle smile slowly crossed her <sup>④</sup> face. Her eyes followed mine, only <sup>⑪</sup> interrupted by the golden strands of hair as it flew across her narrow nose.

<sup>2</sup> It reminded me of the sparkle of sunlight through <sup>⑬</sup> the leaves of a high tree on a late sunny afternoon ride. Her eyes were the windows of her soul I thought as a forgotten memory vividly returned to me.

"Well, are you going to come in or stand there <sup>①</sup> and let the rain come in." It's been a long time since you've been in."

The shopkeeper momentarily broke my train as I walked in and took a chair at our usual table. He quickly brought me a cup of <sup>⑮</sup> coffee and a large piece of cheesecake topped with four huge strawberries.

When the hypothesis has been supported by sound convincing evidence. A statement of finding and broad problem.

### THE LIMITATIONS OF SCIENCE

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Starts with isolated facts and builds a generalization.

a note to Hillsboro Village. Yes, I  
remember how you looked when I said,  
"you will have to obtain a 60 average  
to pass my class, and all this says  
that you are doing is futile."

I was so surprised of the scholarship  
that work of your exam reflected.

You cry and smile the same way -  
it is not a quick thing, but a slow  
creeping, growing emotion that sweeps  
across that golden face with  
its every cheek and sculpted prominence.  
The day that I so remember - I was  
there were trying the play the old  
lover - but I proved wrong. Your eyes  
persuaded me with many foolish sentiments  
and daring episodes. The way you looked  
at me - so deep and prolonged - the  
look of love. The promise an epitaph  
which all beautiful women possess - you  
left eye staring to the only one in a  
prolonged gaze - a gleam of a  
ray had paralyzed my will.

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"Where is your little friend?" Looking up I replied, "He has long since moved away." Spooning the last granules of sweetener in my coffee.

"That's a shame.... you and she...." and <sup>12</sup>for some reason or other <sup>16</sup>the words failed to be uttered.

Jewish shopkeepers are verbose as they try so hard to be accepted into the main stream of life.

When I think of you it is a mixture of little things that are so diagnostic of the snarl in our relationship. I remember a little girl sitting in my store ~~the~~ Fall, of 1963, her eyes followed me until I went on the chalkboard, for every glance that I gave her corner of the room.

The ridiculous questions often slow any my highly answers, she - waiting carefully extended to obtain

Feb 10/6/71  
Meredith

# 1. GENERAL BIOLOGY LECTURE #1

BIOLOGY: The science of life and living things.  
The study of life as of the living things.

- Much evidence supports the view that the earth, a planet of the solar system, a component of the milky way galaxy, had its beginning some 5 billion years ago.
- The age of the earth has been determined in several ways.

- (1) Determining the ratio between the radioactivity elements and their stable daughter.
- (2) Changes in the salinity of the oceans.
- (3) Estimation of the time required for alluvial deposits and gorges to form.
- (4) Determination of  $C^{14}$  in organic material.

- During the period of time - or over the 5 billion years change had been continuous.

- The earth grew in size by accretion of meteorites and planetesimals.

PLANETESIMAL HYPOTHESIS: a theory of the evolution of our solar system which postulates a non-rotating spherical mass of gas, so affected by the tidal action of a passing star as to emit two opposite jets of matter which also begin to rotate, the principal aim so far of condensing into planets by the larger condensation surrounding the smaller called planetesimals.

- \* GROWTH: usually associated with metabolism and the evidence of an increase in the volume or total mass of protoplasm within a cell.

\* Some of the early heterotrophs evolved into  
AUTOTROPHS (using prod. plants)  
used CO<sub>2</sub> for food synthesis

through off O<sub>2</sub> as a by-product.

aerobic respiration

\* O<sub>3</sub> ozone layer screened off  
high energy radiation, precluded any  
further biogenic synthesis.  
\*\*\* { Divided all animals into 2 groups (plant tanks)  
The autotrophs (green plants) gave rise  
to secondary heterotrophs - animals and  
saprophytes (live off dead matter)  
- With a steady state of CO<sub>2</sub> - O<sub>2</sub>  
production and multiple as the change  
factor, evolution <sup>antagonism</sup> <sup>upon</sup> its  
dominant phase the deposition of  
fossilized sedimentary rock.  
Paleontologists study of fossils

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\* If the earth again became devoid of O<sub>2</sub> the  
free O<sub>2</sub> would very soon disappear from the  
atmosphere due to absorption by the  
inorganic materials on the earth's  
surface.

\* Experimental have been carried out to simulate  
primordial atmosphere of the earth. An  
example is the well known experiment  
of S. L. Miller



- In other words it would have acquired 1.5 times as much force to launch Jupiter into its orbit as to get the sun spinning and place all the other members of the system in orbit.
- No way to be conceived whereby total dissipation in any form - could concentrate so much of the energy in a single planet. For this but numerous other reasons this, for such times such hypothesis now seem to be unacceptable.

### III. GASEOUS-NEBULAR HYPOTHESIS:

- The first attempt to account for the origin of the solar system on a scientific basis was that of the French mathematician LAPLACE: who in 1796 supposed that at one time all the matter now comprised in the system formed a gaseous nebula - so distended by heat that its diameter somewhat exceeded the orbit of Pluto, slowly rotating in space.
- Laplace argued that in cooling it would rotate faster and faster with centrifugal force of the periphery equalled the pull of gravity, whereupon a gaseous ring would be shed to the central mass.
- <sup>continued</sup> continued to shed such a ring would revolve about the central mass in a circular orbit. By repetition of this process Laplace pictured the formation of the planets one after another or successively.

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Nathaniel Cohen

held. Here the dust particles continued to form solid <sup>cores</sup> and were surrounded by gaseous envelopes. Then, as turbulence eddies formed and reformed, the larger nuclei grew into PROTOPLANETS which smaller ones joined the nuclei of minor members of the solar system. - satellites, the planetoids, and meteors.

- Originally then, each of the planets was largely gaseous, with a solid core, and the minor planets were relatively much larger than now.

- At the early stage the sun was cooler than it is now and not nearly as bright, and the protoplanets may have been cool.

But upon further condensation radioactivity came into play and the cores of the protoplanets developed into great fireballs of incandescent energy. With this change the lighter gases surrounding the planets (chiefly H and He) began to leak out into space.

- Close planets such as mercury

→ got very much less gas left. They were large enough to hold a very small part of their primordial gaseous envelopes, but were too small to hold more than a trace.

On the contrary, gas giants for outer spheres suffered little loss. They have picked up some of the gas drifting away from the inner planets.

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see Kuiper, G.P. (ed) 1952 Planetary  
atmospheres, and their origin  
~~The atmospheres of the Earth and Planets~~  
~~were more solid.~~ (2nd ed. Univ. of Chicago

- fertile simplicity of Laplace's pp. 306-  
hypothesis holds good now in 405  
19th century. - when compared with  
modern analysis - 7 points  
entirely untenable - no far evidence.

#### IV. GASEOUS-NEBULAR HYPOTHESIS

- during recent decades, however, several  
astronomers have advanced modified  
form of this hypothesis.

- KUIPER: recently developed the  
following hypothesis.

- The sum of an earlier stage in  
its development was surrounded  
by a diffuse nebula of gases and  
solid dust particles extending beyond  
the limits of the orbit of Pluto.  
At this time the sun was cooler

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Jupiter, Uranus, and Neptune being still  
farther out are likewise largely gaseous.  
This version of the nebular hypothesis  
explains readily the circular and  
concentric orbits of the planets, their  
rotation in a common plane, and the  
vast difference between the minor  
and major planets.

large a  
common  
center

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Too early to know whether quantitative  
study will require further verification  
of this theory → but now nearly  
equal the previously considered  
explanations of the origin of our  
world.

\* - The question of the origin of life is one  
of the fundamental problems confronting  
modern scientific study.

It is of big importance for the  
study of the <sup>surrounding</sup> world of the  
universe.

Life is represented on Earth by a  
multitude of different organisms.

Detailed observation and experiments  
show convincingly that the only  
way by which anything created comes  
into being at the present time is

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by the production of new life from  
itself. <sup>the way the descent of living matter from</sup>  
BIOGENESIS: <sup>living matter</sup>

This is true of highly organized plants  
and animals as well as of the most  
primitive bacteria, protozoa, and algae.

Everyone is willing that there are long series  
of generations of living things, but the origin  
of these series has been in the past

Science began in the distant past, long before human history was being recorded. Its roots were tribal magic.

The game makes also good to religion  
and, probably even evildoers act. The  
science, religion, and art have always  
been blood brother. Their <sup>little</sup> methods  
differ, but their aim are all same: to  
understand and interpret the universe  
and its making and, from this; to <sup>promote</sup>  
the material & spiritual welfare of  
man, where possible.

man, where possible  
— This was also the function of <sup>high</sup> magic.  
For long ages, magic was the <sup>essence</sup> of <sup>power</sup> <sup>of</sup> <sup>power</sup>  
of society the center of institution in which  
were concentrated the accumulated  
wisdom and experience of the day.

SCIENCE: (helen scientia to know)

- (1) Knowledge obtained by study and practice.
- (2) Any department of systematic knowledge.
- (3) Art or skill.

# THE PROCEDURE OF SCIENCE

— Everything that is seen ultimately has its basis in the SCIENTIFIC METHOD. Both the powers and the limitations of science are defined by this method. And wherever the scientific method cannot be applied there cannot be science.

- Taken singly, most of the steps of the scientific method involve commonplace procedure and of daily life of every person. Taken together, they amount to the most powerful tool man has devised to know what he could not <sup>not</sup> know.

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and are not directly perceptible

\* \* Based on a study of the abundances of isotopes in the center of the Earth, the age of the earth is estimated at about 5 billion years.

- The first living organism came into being about 2 billion years ago

\* No life on the earth during the geothermal jet's existence

### THE ORIGIN OF LIFE

\* \* \* Early history of the earth's surface of the earth probably was mostly  $H_2O$ .

- In atmosphere there was ammonia  $NH_3$  and methane  $CH_4$ , no  $CO_2$  carbon dioxide or  $O_2$  oxygen.

\* Absence of ozone filters the high energy rays of the sun (below 3600 Å) (anoxia) resulted the early surface and initiated the inorganic chemical reactions that produced a group of precellular, heterotrophic, self-duplicating aggregates of organic matter.

\* no decay - none to decay

In their anaerobic respiration gave off  $\text{CO}_2$

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M. J. R. L.



off  $\text{CO}_2$

$\text{NH}_3 + \text{CH}_4 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{PRIMARY HETEROTROPHS}$   
 getting nourished from  
 organic substance, parasites



GENETICS: the study of the inheritance of organisms PAGE 10.

who obtained amino acids - the substances forming the basic components of the protein molecule - by passing silent electric discharges through a mixture of methane, hydrogen, ammonia and  $H_2O$  vapor.

\* \* Analogous (similar) experiments were carried out by:

T. E. PRYOVSKAYA & A. G. PASSYNSKII using ultraviolet light

"nutrient broth"

EVOLUTION: Becoming more, not less complex  
The gradual development from simple organisms from single forms.

ZOOLOGY:

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The science dealing with studying, pointing, behavior, body, classification, and distribution of animals.

BOTANY:

study of plants

MORPHOLOGY:

The study of the structure and form of organisms in relation to the study of function.

PHYSIOLOGY:

The study of the manner in which organisms carry on their life process (function)

TAXONOMY:

The science of classification is applied to living organisms.

BIOGEOGRAPHY:

that part of biology dealing with the geographical distribution of plants and animals.

PHYTOGEOGRAPHY

ZOOGEOGRAPHY

(LIVING) (1) INTERBUSCEPTION: Build up of new material by combination of smaller molecules and on the formation of protein from amino acids.

(NONLIVING) (2) ACCRETION: Crystals of inorganic salts are said to grow by accretion, which is the piling up of molecules of the same kind of molecular initial stage.

(ORIGIN)  
ETIOLOGY OF THE SOLAR SYSTEM

I. PLANETESIMAL HYPOTHESIS: In its original form this theory was developed by Chamberlain and Moulton, geologist and astronomer respectively at University of Chicago.

Assumed the sun traveled alone until it almost collided with another star -> tidal stresses generated by the pull of the passing star partly disrupted the sun and sent fragments flying in a plane around it - the fragments form a giant pinwheel - this debris was then slowly gathered together to form the planets and their satellites, the residue being left over in the form of planetoids and meteor.

the solar system was born of a stellar catastrophe a few billions of years ago.

It brought off the explosion from the sun consumed the ejected material to be discharged

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ANATOMY: study of form and structure of animals  
all plants. dissection

EMBRYOLOGY: study of animal and human embryos  
ZOOLOGY: animal anatomy  
PHYTOLOGY: vegetable anatomy

PHYTOGEOGRAPHY: geographical distribution of plants  
study of the plants

ZOOGEOGRAPHY: geographical distribution of animals  
and animals

ECOLOGY: The study of organisms in relation to their environment.

HISTOLOGY: The study of tissues

ENDOCRINOLOGY: Study of endocrine glands & their products

CYTOLOGY: The study of cells.

BIOCHEMISTRY: Chemistry of living things

\* \* \* From the earliest times man has been interested in the structure of his own body and that of the higher animals which he has hunted or domesticated

- drawing & sculpture left of the men of the Early Stone Age (about 150,000 B.C.)

- incredibly accurate models of the eyes, teeth, of horse, lion, and mammoth

- Egyptians, Babylonians, and Assyrians knew quite a bit about anatomy and complicated surgical operations.

- Egyptian papyrus dated 2700 B.C.

attributed to IMHOTEP the great surgeon and architect of the P. tombs. The tomb is described as a series of organs for which vessels are distributed to the different parts of the body.

- Little science of anatomy before the Greeks.

ARISTOTLE: 384-322 B.C. was a

physician, scientist, and philosopher. He was the first to describe the human body.

- described many organs of the higher animals, and the organs of the lower animals, and gave them names.

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Cuvier also studied fossils and is regarded as the founder of the science of the paleontology of the back bone animal (vertebrates). A man of wide knowledge and great attainments. Under

Napoleon Bonaparte he became chief of higher education for the Empire.

LEONARDO da VINCI: (1452-1519) Italian architect, painter, scientist came very near it. Circulation

MICHAEL SERVETUS (1511-1553) described the lesser circulation: the course of blood from the right side of the heart to the lungs and back to the left side of the heart in 1533. \*\*\* both sides of the body.

ANDREAS CESALPINUS: (1519-1603) Italian human for his anatomical research, claimed that the blood in the veins flows toward the heart.

FABRICIUS (1537-1619) described the volume in the veins and pointed the blood to flow only toward the heart.

WILLIAM HARVEY: (1578-1657) Englishman gave the clearest proof of the circulatory system.

MARCELLO MALPIGHI: (1628-1694) Italian anatomist and histologist showed blood through capillaries.

ANTONY VAN LEEUWENHOEK: Dutch microscopist (1632-1723) worked with a simple magnifying glass and saw a world of tidypole. demonstrating the circulation in 1688. Described the structure of the blood vessels.



\* 3 men early applied the microscope to biological investigation the names of 3 men stand out

- (1) Marcello Malpighi { Malpighian capillaries
- (2) Jan Swammerdam { in biology }
- (3) Antony van Leeuwenhoek



# THE SCIENTIFIC METHOD

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## I. OBSERVATION:

- Very difficult to really observe anything. would all see it as I see it.
- Constant observation. Is a much different sub, account every 100th by experience and my senses.
- Always experienced with enthusiasm, outside, who tend to start to draw objects in plain view and outside who try to see nothing, all can help to this!
- unresponsive bias
- unrepeatable experiments are useless

## II. PROBLEM:

- After an observation has been made, the second step of the scientific method is to define a problem.
- In other words, one asks a question about the observation: ~~Is it really there?~~
- ~~Is it really there? Is it really there?~~

## III. HYPOTHESIS:

- How about a proper question, the second procedure to the third step of the scientific method. This involves the seemingly quite unscientific procedure of guessing. One guesses what the answer to the question might conceivably be.
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Jew - Of course, a given question may have thousands of possible answers but only one right answer!

## IV. EXPERIMENT:

- the third part of scientific procedure.
- \*\* EXPERIMENTAL CONTROL

## V. THEORY:

- Extended evidence is the basis for the theory.



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Honorable Sam J. Ervin, Jr.  
United States Senate  
Washington, D. C. 20510

My dear Senator:

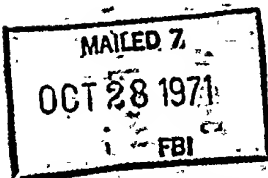
Inspector [ ] has shown me the communication of  
October 22nd from [ ] enclosing a copy of a letter and related  
material from [ ] of Chapel Hill, North Carolina.

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You may wish to assure your correspondent that the  
FBI's primary consideration in all aircraft hijacking cases has been  
and will continue to be the well-being of all persons aboard.

This hijacking incident is currently the subject of actions  
in the courts, and for this reason I am unable to comment concerning  
the matter.

Sincerely yours,  
J. Edgar Hoover



1 - Charlotte - Enclosures (3)

1 - Mr. M. A. Jones - Enclosure (detached)

NOTE: Bufiles disclose cordial correspondence and relations with Senator  
Ervin and [ ] is not identifiable in Bufiles.

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# United States Senate

Washington, D. C., October 22, 1971

*Respectfully referred to*

[redacted]  
Congressional Liaison  
FBI

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Dear [redacted]

I am sending you a copy of a letter which I have received from a constituent. I would appreciate it if you would have the Bureau respond to [redacted] criticisms in order that we might send it to him.

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for Senator Sam J. Ervin, Jr.

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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20510

Chapel Hill, N.C. 27514  
October 18, 1971

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The Honorable Sam Ervin  
United States Senate  
Washington, D.C. 20510

Sir:

Can something be done to find the persons responsible for this?

I have a commercial pilot's license and occasionally fly charter trips. And while the chance of hijacking is remote, it has happened to local operators. If I had to refuel somewhere, I would like to have a better reception than a bullet from a hijacker or an FBI man shooting at my aircraft or its fuel supply.

Apparently, the FBI has established some policy of non-cooperation with aircraft hijack attempts. If such a policy has been established, could this be made known to pilots, so they would at least know where they stand?

Sir, your continuous fight for individual liberties must include support for the right to live. This FBI action runs contrary to that right for charter pilots. Can you do anything?

Sincerely,

[Redacted Signature]

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# The FBI Bungle Hijacking

## Transcript's Tale: Pilot's Plea Ignored, 3 Die

By George Lardner Jr.  
Washington Post Staff Writer

When Brent Q. Downs taxied his plane to a stop at Jacksonville International Airport this month, he wondered, nervously, where the fuel truck was.

Downs, a 29-year-old pilot from Nashville, Tenn., had every reason to be nervous. His twin-engine Aero Commander had been commandeered in Nashville at gunpoint by a beefy hijacker who was kidnapping his estranged wife.

Ordered to take them to the Bahamas, Downs was in no mood to argue. But he needed more fuel. He radioed his needs to Jacksonville: fuel, charts, flotation gear and two bottles of Chivas Regal. He was assured that he could refuel without interference, that everything, except perhaps for the Scotch, "will be ready as specified."

Instead, the unsuspecting pilot was directed to a parking pad where FBI agents were waiting in the predawn darkness. Abruptly, Downs found another FBI man barking instructions to him from the airport control tower, instruc-

tions that he protested were "endangering lives."

The FBI, it was learned yesterday, heard and repeatedly ignored the captive pilot's desperate pleas.

Within minutes, Brent Downs was dead, shot in the back by the hijacker after FBI agents began pumping bullets into the parked plane's wheels and one of its engines.

The hijacker, a 300-pound Nashville real estate agent named George M. Giffe Jr., then turned his 45-caliber automatic on his estranged young wife and finally on himself. All three were dead or dying when the G-men clambered aboard.

Shortly after the shootings, sources say, someone in the control tower cracked: "You can't win 'em all."

The FBI's refusal to stay away from the plane and let Downs refuel, despite his stammered protests, is contained in a hitherto secret transcript of the last radio transmissions between the pilot and authorities. A copy has been obtained by The Washington Post.

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# The FBI Bingles a Hijacking

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The tragedy began early in the morning of Oct. 4 when the 35-year-old Giffe arranged to meet his wife, reportedly on the pretext of saying goodbye before he left the country. According to Nashville police, the couple had broken up a week earlier after a troubled three-year marriage. Mrs. Giffe, police reported, was packed, kicking and screaming, into the back seat of a car that her husband drove to the Nashville airport.

Giffe, who has been quoted by friends as saying he was a sorcerer, leased the plane from Big Brothers Aircraft with the story that he was a doctor and that his wife needed treatment in Miami. But Mrs. Giffe began screaming that she was being kidnaped and Larry Reed, an employee of Big Brothers, asked Giffe for his credentials. At that, Reed said, both Giffe and a friend, Bobby Wayne Wallace, drew pistols and ordered Downs to take off, just before 2 a.m. (CDT).

The police in Nashville reported that Giffe had left five suicide notes in the car he drove to the airport. In one of them, addressed to his father, he said that he had been "ordered to kill."

The FBI was notified after the plane left Nashville and dispatched agents to the Jacksonville airport when the pilot radioed he was landing for fuel and other items.

FBI agents already have been publicly excoriated by relatives and associates of the victims. The transcript, based on tape recordings from the files of the Federal Aviation Administration, suggests that their complaints are based on more than emotions.

According to the transcript, Downs was assured several times — first by Jacksonville Air Traffic Control which is located

about 30 miles north of the airport and then by the regular control tower operator at the field itself — that a fuel truck would be standing by when he taxied his plane, code-named "58 November," to its assigned spot. The transcript includes these exchanges, beginning seconds after the privately owned turboprop touched down.

Pilot (Downs): "Is the fuel truck here?"

Tower: "You say is it a fuel truck?"

Pilot: "I say is the fuel truck here?"

Tower: "Affirmative. Taxi straight ahead to the end, commander 58 November, all the way to the end. . . . Okay, that's fine. Right there. Park right where you're at."

Pilot: "(This is) 58 November. They are going to keep this area clear. Is that correct?"

Tower: "That's affirmative."

Pilot: "All right. (Pause) What's the car sitting back off to our right?"

Tower: "It's just an airport vehicle as far as I know, sir."

Evidently MW-M Imm Downs asked that it be moved away. At this point, another voice, that of an FBI agent, took over the control tower microphone. His words are indicated by capital letters.

Tower: "58 NOVEMBER? . . . 58 NOVEMBER, THIS IS THE FBI SPEAKING. CUT YOUR ENGINE."

Pilot: ". . . This is the captain speaking. We're going to cut the engines and we're gonna need some fuel, but I request that everyone stay away."

Tower: "53 NOVEMBER. ADVISE WHEN YOUR ENGINES HAVE BEEN CUT. 53 NOVEMBER?"

Pilot: "This is 53 November. Uh, this gentleman has about 125 pounds of plastic explosives back here and (pause) uh, I got no (pause), uh, yen to join it right now

so I would please express, uh, appreciate if if you would stay away from this airplane."

Tower: "THAT'S A ROGER, 58 NOVEMBER. ARE YOUR ENGINES CUT?"

Pilot: "Negative."

Tower: "STAND BY."

Pilot: "Where's the fuel truck?..."

Tower: "THIS IS THE FBI. THERE WILL BE NO FUEL. REPEAT. THERE WILL BE NO FUEL. THERE WILL BE NO STARTER (which Downs had also requested to get the plane airborne again). HAVE YOU CUT YOUR ENGINES?"

(Pause)  
Pilot: "Uh (casp), look, I don't think this fellow's kidding — I wish you'd get the fuel truck out here."

Tower: "58 NOVEMBER. THERE WILL BE NO FUEL. I REPEAT. THERE WILL BE NO FUEL."

Pilot: "This is 58 November. You are endangering lives by doing this, and, uh, we have no other choice but to go along and, uh, uh, for the sake of some lives we request some fuel out here, please."

(Pause)  
Tower: "58 NOVEMBER. WHAT IS THE STATUS OF YOUR PASSENGERS?"

Pilot: "Ah, uh, well, they're okay, if that's what you mean."

Tower: "ARE THEY MONITORING THIS CONVERSATION?"

Pilot: "Yes, they are."

Tower: "DO YOU HAVE TWO PASSENGERS ABOARD?"

(Pause)  
Tower: "58 NOVEMBER. WHAT'S YOUR PRESENT FUEL STATUS. ON THAT AIRCRAFT?"

Pilot: "We're down to about 30 minutes."

Tower: "58 NOVEMBER. THE DECISION WILL BE NO FUEL FOR THAT AIRCRAFT. NO STARTER. RUN IT OUT, ANY WAY YOU WANT. PASSENGERS, IF YOU ARE LISTENING—THE ONLY ALTERNATIVE IN THIS AIRCRAFT IS TO DEPART THE AIRCRAFT, TO DEPART THE AIRCRAFT."

Here, there was a long pause, apparently for some hurried discussions among those aboard the airplane. Besides Downs, Giffe and his 23-year-old wife, Susan, these included co-pilot Randall Crump and Giffe's friend Wallace, who has since been accused of air piracy and kidnaping for helping Giffe.

At one point, Giffe had urged the two fliers to try to take off without refueling, but, Crump has said, they were afraid to try it in the darkness after looking down the taxiway and seeing a

clump of trees that seemed closer than they actually were. Now, it was decided, Crump would get off the plane and try to talk authorities into letting them refuel.

Pilot Downs cut one of the engines so the prop wouldn't interfere with Crump's departure. The co-pilot hopped out only to be met, he has reportedly said, by armed FBI agents who hustled him into a waiting car some 35 yards away. They do not appear to have been interested in discussing what he wanted to tell them, Crump has been quoted as saying.

The transcript reflects only bits and pieces of all this although the FBI agent in the control tower, named by sources as Frank Burns, was in separate radio contact with agents on the field, led by FBI agent James O'Connor.

Tower: "58 NOVEMBER?"

Pilot: "Yeah."

Tower: "DID SOMEONE DEPLANE FROM YOUR AIRCRAFT?"

Pilot: "That's affirmative. The co-pilot."

(Pause)  
Tower: "58 NOVEMBER?"

Pilot: (Muffled reply).

Tower: "THE CO-PILOT IS IN THE CAR AND WILL NOT RETURN TO THE AIRCRAFT. HE WILL NOT RETURN TO THE AIRCRAFT."

A minute or so later, Wallace jumped out, perhaps after having persuaded Giffe that he could succeed where Crump had failed. A pistol reportedly in his belt, Wallace, 32, began moving toward the back of the plane when an FBI agent yelled at him to "hit the ground."

He did as he was told. Meanwhile, agent O'Connor moved to the front of the plane where Giffe spotted him from the cockpit and fired two shots at the FBI man, missing him both times.

O'Connor, sources say, ducked out of range and gave the order to open fire. Bullets sped into the wheels and the engine that was still running, apparently ripping into a fuel line and causing an emergency signal to light up in the cockpit. At this point, co-pilot Crump believes, Downs rushed to cut off the engine and Giffe began shooting again. This time, he didn't miss.

The transcript ends with an unanswered question from the control tower—"53 NOVEMBER?"—and the time, 5:33 a.m. (EDT) Oct. 4.

The "you can't win 'em all" remark, according to sources who asked not to be named, is part of background conversation audible on the FAA's tape recordings though not included in the transcript, obtained by The Post.



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9:45 PM NITEL 10/27/71

TO DIRECTOR

JACKSONVILLE (164-103)

MEMPHIS (164-76)

FROM NEWARK (164-191) (P)

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GEORGE MALDRY GIFFE, JR. (DECEASED); [REDACTED] MRS.

GEORGE M. GIFFE, JR., AKA-VICTIM (DECEASED); BRENT DOWNS-VICTIM

(DECEASED); [REDACTED] VICTIM; CAA-HIJACKING;

KIDNAPPING; FTCA (OO: JACKSONVILLE).

RE NK TEL TO BUREAU OCTOBER TWENTY SIX, LAST.

ON THIS DATE, [REDACTED] NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSE, ONE SIX

FIVE COURT ST., NEWARK, NJ., ADVISED THAT SHE KNEW NO ONE NAMED

[REDACTED] OR GIFFE.

[REDACTED] TUBERCULOSIS CONTROL DEPARTMENT, ESSEX

COUNTY SANITARIUM, VERONA, NJ, ADVISED THAT RECORDS AVAILABLE ON

[REDACTED] REFLECT A LETTER DATED NOVEMBER SIX,

NINETEEN SIXTY NINE, INDICATING [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HOME ADDRESS LISTED AS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] NO OTHER INFORMATION AVAILABLE.

NK TO FORWARD APPROPRIATE FD- THREE ZERO TWO'S.

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TO DIRECTOR

MEMPHIS (164-76)

ST. LOUIS (164-NPRC)

FROM JACKSONVILLE (164-103)

GEORGE MALLORY <sup>(1)</sup> GIFFE, JR., AKA (DECEASED); <sup>(2)</sup> [REDACTED] SUSAN  
 LAKICH <sup>(1)</sup> GIFFE - VICTIM (DECEASED); BRENT QUINTON DOWNS - VICTIM  
 (DECEASED); <sup>(2)</sup> [REDACTED] - VICTIM, CAA - HIJACKING,  
 INTIMIDATION OF CREW MEMBERS, CARRYING A CONCEALED WEAPON, KIDNAPING,  
 FTCA, OO JACKSONVILLE.

DURING COURSE OF INVESTIGATION AND INTERVIEWS WITH SUBJECT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] IT WAS DETERMINED THAT [REDACTED] HAD SERVED IN US

NAVY WITH ACTIVE DUTY DATES LISTED AS FROM MAY TWENTYFOUR, FIFTYSEVEN  
 THROUGH MAY NINETEEN, SIXTYONE. [REDACTED] MAY ALSO HAVE BEEN MEMBER OF  
 US NAVAL RESERVES SUBSEQUENT TO HIS ACTIVE DUTY DATES.

[REDACTED] DESCRIBED AS WM, BORN [REDACTED] AT

SSAN [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] US NAVY SERIAL NO. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] AND SUBMIT SAME TO ORIGIN WITH APPROPRIATE FD THREE ZERO  
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THE BUREAU HAS DIRECTED THAT THIS MATTER BE GIVEN PREFERRED AND  
CONTINUOUS ATTENTION WITH ALL LEADS COVERED ON EXPEDITE BASIS.

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LRS FBI WASHDC CLR

October 28, 1971

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Honorable John V. Tunney  
United States Senate  
Washington, D. C. 20510

Dear Senator:

Your correspondence of October 19th enclosing a telegram from Mr. John P. Gratz has been received. Mr. Gratz sent a similar communication to Congressman Gubser which I acknowledged on October 14th.

Enclosed is a copy of my reply to the Congressman and Mr. Gratz's telegram which you forwarded.

Very truly yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover  
Director

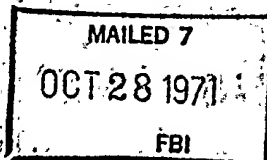
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1 - Mr. M. A. Jones - Enclosures (2) (detached)

NOTE: Salutation and closing per prior correspondence with Senator Tunney.

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# United States Senate

Oct. 19, 1971

Respectfully referred to:

Federal Bureau of Investigation

*George M. Giffe*

Because of the desire of this office to be responsive to all inquiries and communications, your consideration of the attached is requested. Your findings and views, in duplicate form, along with return of the enclosure, will be appreciated by

*ack 10-28-71  
JCW/rym*

*John Tunney*  
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*(D-Calif.)*

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CORRESPONDENCE

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Telegram

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SENATOR JOHN TUNNEY SENATE OFFICE BLDG WASHDC

1971 OCT 5 PM

DEAR SIR: LATEST HIJACK INTERCEPT BY FBI AGAIN RAISES GRAVES  
CONCERN OF AIRLINE PILOTS THAT FBI IS BENT ON A SHOOT FIRST  
SOLUTION TO THE PROBLEM OF AERIAL PRIVACY. THIS IS COUNTER  
TO MOST RESPONSIBLE JUDGEMENT. THE AIRLINE PILOTS ARE RESPONSIBLE  
BY LAW FOR THE SAFETY OF THEIR PASSENGERS AND CREW. WHEN HIJACKED,  
DECISION TO INTERDICT MUST BE COORDINATED WITH THE FLIGHT  
CAPTAIN. THERE ARE SEVERAL ESTABLISHED PROCEDURES TO DO THIS.  
UNTIL ASSURANCES ARE GIVEN TO US WE SHALL CARRY ADDITIONAL  
CONCERN THAT IF HIJACKED WE SHALL BE MET WITH FUSILLAD OF FUNFIRE  
WHEN WE LAND, NO MATTER WHAT THE SITUATION IS ON THE AIRCRAFT  
THIS IS OUTRAGEOUS.

I REALIZE THAT CRITICISM OF THE FBI OFTEN RESULTS IN AN OVERWHELMING  
BACKLASH BUT WOULD YOU PLEASE HELP US BY FINDING OUT THAT

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WESTERN UNION

Telegram

THE FBI IS NOT GOING TO CONTINUE TO ACT IN THIS MANNER AND  
THAT THEY WILL HONOR EXISTING AGREEMENTS WITH THE DEPARTMENT  
OF TRANSPORTATION, THE FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION, THE  
AIRLINE PILOTS ASSOCIATION AND OTHERS. THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR  
YOUR ATTENTION SINCERELY

JOHN P. GRATZ CHAIRMAN, TWA COUNCIL 69 AIRLINE PILOTS ASSOCIATION  
21140 CANYON VIEW DRIVE SARATOGA CA 95070

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NEW YORK

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FROM NEW ORLEANS (164-135) (P) 4P

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[REDACTED] SUSAN LAKICH GIFFE, AKA - VICTIM (DECEASED);

BRENT QUINTON DOWNS - VICTIM (DECEASED); [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] - VICTIM. CAA - HIJACKING, INTIMIDATION OF CREW

MEMBERS, CARRYING A CONCEALED WEAPON; KIDNAPPING, FTCA.

OO: JACKSONVILLE.

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RE JACKSONVILLE TELETYPE TO NEW ORLEANS OCTOBER

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TWENTYEIGHT SEVENTYONE.

FOR THE INFORMATION OF NEW YORK, SUBJECT GIFFE APPARENTLY HAD BEEN THE PRESIDENT OF THE AL HIRT MARDI GRAS INTERNATIONAL, AN ALLEGED INCORPORATED FIRM IN THE STATE OF TENNESSEE. CURRENT INFORMATION INDICATES THAT THIS CORPORATION WENT OUT OF BUSINESS DUE TO FINANCIAL DIFFICULTIES.

INCLUDED IN THE PERSONAL EFFECTS OF GIFFE WERE AL HIRT MARDI GRAS INTERNATIONAL, INC., STOCK CERTIFICATES NUMBERED SEVENTEEN AND EIGHTEEN, COMMON STOCK - TEN CENTS PAR VALUE

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IN THE AMOUNTS OF FIFTEEN THOUSAND AND FOUR HUNDRED EIGHT  
THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED SHARES EACH IN THE NAME OF GEORGE  
MALLORY GIFFE, JR. GIFFE IS LISTED AS THE PRESIDENT AND A  
[REDACTED] AS THE SECRETARY-TREASURER.

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[REDACTED] AL HIRT ENTERPRISES,  
INC., NEW ORLEANS, STATED ON OCTOBER TWENTYEIGHT, LAST NEITHER  
SHE OR [REDACTED] HAVE ANY KNOWLEDGE OF SUBJECT, [REDACTED]  
OR AL HIRT MARDI GRAS INTERNATIONAL.

AT APPROXIMATELY SIX PM OCTOBER TWENTYEIGHT LAST NEW  
ORLEANS RECEIVED A CALL FROM [REDACTED] INDICATING [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]  
ON OCTOBER TWENTYNINE, SEVENTYONE, [REDACTED] ADVISED [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

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NEW YORK WILL CONTACT [REDACTED] AT ABOVE LISTED  
ADDRESS AND DETERMINE COMPLETE BACKGROUND INFORMATION  
CONCERNING THIS MATTER AND IDENTITIES OF OFFICERS OF THE  
ALLEGED CORPORATION. APPROPRIATE LEADS WILL BE SENT OUT TO  
LOCATE AND INTERVIEW PERSONS INVOLVED FOR DETAILS OF  
ASSOCIATION WITH GIFFE.

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THE BUREAU HAS INSTRUCTED THAT THIS MATTER RECEIVE  
PREFERRED ATTENTION AND ALL LEADS HANDLED ON EXPEDITE  
BASIS. INITIAL INFORMATION TO BE FURNISHED TO BUREAU, MEMPHIS  
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AND JACKSONVILLE BY SUTEL WITH FD-THREE ZERO TWOS SUBMITTED  
TO ORIGIN PROMPTLY THEREAFTER.

FD-THREE ZERO TWOS WILL FOLLOW.

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Date: 10/28/71

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL  
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, JACKSONVILLE (164-103) (P)

SUBJECT: GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., aka. (deceased);  
[REDACTED]  
SUSAN LAKICH GIFFE, aka. - VICTIM (deceased);  
BRENT QUINTON DOWNS - VICTIM (deceased);  
[REDACTED] - VICTIM  
 CAA - HIJACKING, INTIMIDATION OF CREW MEMBERS,  
 CARRYING A CONCEALED WEAPON; KIDNAPPING; FTCA  
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Enclosed herewith for Oklahoma City is one copy  
 of the Surface Weather Observations for Orlando, Daytona  
 Beach, and West Palm Beach, Florida, for October 4, 1971.

The enclosed information was obtained from [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED] Chief, Public Information Branch, National Climatic  
 Center, U.S. Department of Commerce, Asheville, North Carolina.

The above information is to be furnished to the  
 appropriate FAA official handling this matter and is to be  
 returned to origin upon completion.

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Approved

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Special Agent in Charge

Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI

DATE: 10/29/71

FROM : *WMA* SAC, Jacksonville (164-103)

SUBJECT: GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR. (DECEASED);

MRS. GEORGE M. GIFFE, JR., AKA - VICTIM (DECEASED);

BRENT DOWNS - VICTIM (DECEASED);

[REDACTED] - VICTIM;

CAA-HIJACKING; KIDNAPING; FICA;

(OO: JACKSONVILLE)

Attached hereto is a copy of a letter I received from [REDACTED] Attorney at Law, concerning this matter and my reply thereto.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Post Office Box 1869  
Jacksonville, Florida 32201  
October 29, 1971

In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.

[Redacted]  
Attorney at Law  
[Redacted]  
Jacksonville, Florida 32202

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Dear [Redacted]

I have received your letter of October 26, 1971, regarding the case of "United States of America VS [Redacted] wherein you request that the names and addresses of each of the Agents who were actual eye witnesses to matters which occurred on October 4, 1971, and the availability of each, to be interviewed.

I realize that the Attorney of Record for the defense has a right to interview all witnesses in a prospective prosecutive action, however, I am sure that you are also aware that the individual witness has the right to decline to be interviewed, or if the witness decides to be interviewed, to set the terms and conditions of the interview.

I have been in contact with each of the individual witnesses on the scene on October 4th, and they have advised me to advise you that they respectfully decline to be interviewed at this time.

As I advised you over the telephone on a previous occasion, the statement of each of the witnesses has been furnished to the United States Attorney, and at the proper time you will be given an opportunity to review this statement so that you can properly prepare your cross-examination.

I have discussed this matter with the United States Attorney and he is in accord with the above.

Sincerely yours,

*W. M. Alexander*  
W. M. Alexander  
Special Agent in Charge

cc: [Redacted]

Nashville, Tennessee

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cc: John L. Briggs  
United States Attorney  
311 West Monroe Street  
Jacksonville, Florida

[REDACTED]  
ATTORNEY AT LAW

JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA 32202

[REDACTED]  
AREA CODE 904

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October 26, 1971

Mr. W. M. Alexander  
Special Agent in Charge  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
311 W. Monroe Street  
Jacksonville, Florida

RE: United States of America  
-VS-  
[REDACTED]

Dear Mr. Alexander:

[REDACTED] of Nashville, Tennessee, and I represent the accused in the above referenced case regarding charges contained in the indictment now pending in the United States District Court, Jacksonville, Florida.

I am reliably informed that several agents of your office are material witnesses to various events occurring at Jacksonville International Airport on the early morning of October 4, 1971, that concerned this case. I understand that these agents are actual eye witnesses to matters that transpired at said airport concerning the accused in this case and the aircraft involved. In view of this, it is our duty and responsibility in representing the accused to interview each of these agents and I would appreciate very much your advising me of the names and addresses of each agent and his availability to be interviewed.

Perhaps you will recall that I previously spoke with you briefly by telephone about ten days ago and made a similar request. It is my recollection that you advised me that the policy of the Bureau was to decline such an interview. I would emphasize that here we are dealing with a situation in which the agents are actual witnesses to certain events as opposed to a situation where they merely interview other witnesses and obtain details. I trust that you will appreciate how imperative it is that we interview every possible witness to this case.

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Mr. W. M. Alexander  
Jacksonville, Florida

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I am certain that you would probably wish to discuss this matter with the United States Attorney, and I am sending him a copy of this letter so that he may be advised.

I would like to interview these agents as soon as possible in order that we may proceed further with the pre-trial aspects of this case.

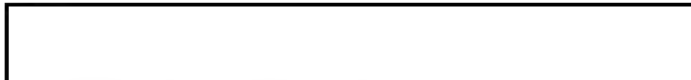
Sincerely yours ,



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cc:



Nashville, Tennessee

The Honorable John L. Briggs  
United States Attorney  
311 W. Monroe Street  
Jacksonville, Florida



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
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Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Miller, ES	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
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Mr. Pohlert	_____
Mr. Bates	_____
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Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

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325 PM EDST URGENT 10-28-71 MHM

TO DIRECTOR

CHARLOTTE (164-98)

NEW ORLEANS

MEMPHIS (164-76)

FROM JACKSONVILLE (164-103) 4P

GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., AKA. (DECEASED); [REDACTED]  
SUSAN LAKICH GIFFE, AKA. - VICTIM (DECEASED); BRENT QUINTON DOWNS -  
VICTIM (DECEASED); [REDACTED] - VICTIM, CAA - HIJACKING,  
INTIMIDATION OF CREW MEMBERS, CARRYING A CONCEALED WEAPON; KIDNAPING;  
FTCA, OO JK.

A CONTINUING REVIEW OF PERSONAL EFFECTS OF SUBJECT GIFFE REFLECTS  
THAT ON AUG. TWENTYEIGHT, SEVENTY, [REDACTED]  
BUTTERFIELD AND SON, LIMITED, BERMUDA, SENT A LETTER TO GIFFE CON-  
CERNING A TELEPHONE CONVERSATION HE HAD WITH SUSAN GIFFE RELATIVE TO  
A TUDOR INN PROJECT. ON AUG. TWENTYFOUR, SEVENTY, [REDACTED]  
OF THE SAME FIRM, WROTE A LETTER TO GIFFE THANKING HIM AND SUSAN FOR  
THE HOSPITALITY ON A RECENT VISIT. ON SEPT. EIGHT, SEVENTY, [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] WROTE A LETTER TO GIFFE CONCERNING FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS WHICH  
WERE DISCUSSED DURING A RECENT VISIT TO NASHVILLE. NOV 2 1971

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MEMPHIS, AT NASHVILLE, WILL RECONTACT THE FAMILY OF SUSAN LAKICH GIFFE FOR DETAILS OF THE ABOVE CORRESPONDENCE AND THE NATURE OF THE BUSINESS PROPOSITION INVOLVED.

A FURTHER REVIEW OF GIFFE'S PERSONAL EFFECTS REFLECTS THAT GIFFE HAD CO-SIGNED A THREE THOUSAND DOLLAR NOTE AT THE THIRD NATIONAL BANK, NASHVILLE, INVOLVING THE METRO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE LICENSE AT NINTH AND CHURCH STREETS. THIS NOTE WAS CO-SIGNED WITH [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
MEMPHIS, AT NASHVILLE, WILL CONDUCT BACKGROUND CHECK RE METRO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE LICENSE AS DESCRIBED ABOVE AND WILL CONTACT [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] RE FULL DETAILS.

FOR THE INFO OF NEW ORLEANS, SUBJECT GIFFE, APPARENTLY HAD BEEN THE PRESIDENT OF THE AL HIRT MARDI GRAS INTERNATIONAL, AN ALLEGED INCORPORATED FIRM IN THE STATE OF TENNESSEE. CURRENT INVESTIGATION INDICATES THAT THIS CORPORATION WENT OUT OF BUSINESS DUE TO FINANCIAL DIFFICULTIES.

INCLUDED IN THE PERSONAL EFFECTS OF GIFFE WERE AL HIRT MARDI GRAS INTERNATIONAL, INC., STOCK CERTIFICATES NUMBERED SEVENTEEN AND EIGHTEEN, COMMON STOCK - TEN CENTS PAR VALUE, IN THE AMOUNTS OF FIFTEEN  
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THOUSAND AND FOUR HUNDRED EIGHT THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED SHARES EACH  
IN THE NAME OF GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR. GIFFE IS LISTED AS THE  
PRESIDENT AND A [REDACTED] AS THE SECRETARY-TREASURER.

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NEW ORLEANS WILL CONTACT [REDACTED] AND DETER-  
MINE COMPLETE BACKGROUND INFORMATION CONCERNING THIS MATTER AND IDENTIFY

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ALL OFFICERS OF THE ALLGEGED CORPORATION. APPROPRIATE LEADS WILL  
BE SET OUT TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW PERSONS INVOLVED FOR DETAILS OF  
ASSOCIATION WITH GIFFE.

FOR INFO OF CHARLOTTE, DALLAS DIVISION ADVISED THAT SUBJECT  
[REDACTED] HAD BRANIFF INTERNATIONAL FASTCARD ISSUED TO HIM DURING  
NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT.

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[REDACTED] EMPLOYMENT WAS LISTED AS [REDACTED] FOR WHITE  
ENGINEERING, SPENCE LANE AT CORNELIA COURT, NASHVILLE, TENN. DURING  
MAY, SIXTYNINE HE LISTED HIS ADDRESS AS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ON SEPT. FIRST, SIXTYNINE, HE LISTED HIS ADDRESS AS  
[REDACTED]

UNTIL MARCH, SEVENTY.

CHARLOTTE AT [REDACTED], WILL CONTACT [REDACTED]  
AND VERIFY RESIDENCE OF [REDACTED] WILL ALSO DETERMINE THROUGH RESIDENCE  
RECORDS, WHO OCCUPIED APT. WITH [REDACTED] AND HIS EMPLOYMENT AT THAT  
TIME. IF EMPLOYER IDENTIFIED, CONDUCT BACKGROUND CHECK RE [REDACTED]  
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ASSOCIATION WITH FIRM. THIS INVESTIGATION MUST BE COMPREHENSIVE TO INCLUDE ALL DETAILS AND SHOULD INCLUDE AN ARREST AND CREDIT CHECK IF SUFFICIENT INFORMATION AVAILABLE.

MEMPHIS, AT NASHVILLE, WILL CONTACT WHITE ENGINEERING, SPENCE LANE AT CORNELIA COURT, AND CONDUCT BACKGROUND CHECK RE [REDACTED] ASSOCIATES OF [REDACTED] WILL BE CONTACTED TO DETERMINE HIS CHARACTER AND REPUTATION.

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FOR THE INFORMATION OF BUREAU AND MEMPHIS, NO INFORMATION WAS LOCATED IN THE PERSONAL PROPERTY OF GIFFE RELATIVE TO SWISS ACCOUNTS OR THE "BANQUE OF GENEVE".

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// THE BUREAU IS REQUESTED TO ADVISE IF LEAT, BERN, SWITZERLAND, //  
SHOULD BE CONTACTED VIA LHM TO DETERMINE IF ANY ASSOCIATION BETWEEN GIFFE AND SWISS BANKS EXISTS.

THE BUREAU HAS INSTRUCTED THAT THIS MATTER RECEIVE PREFERRED ATTENTION AND ALL LEADS HANDLED ON EXPEDITE BASIS. INITIAL INFORMATION TO BE FURNISHED TO BUREAU, MEMPHIS AND JACKSONVILLE BY SUTEL WITH FD THREE ZERO TWOS SUBMITTED TO ORIGIN PROMPTLY THEREAFTER.

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cc- [REDACTED] ROOM 1010 9&D

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

OCT 28 1971

NR003 ME PLAIN

7:54PM NITEL 10-28-71 DMB

TELETYPE

TO DIRECTOR

JACKSONVILLE (164-103)

FROM MEMPHIS (164-76)

Mr. Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Miller, ES \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Dalbey \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Cleveland \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Ponder \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Bates \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Walters \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Soyars \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Miss Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Miss Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., AKA (DECEASED);

SUSAN LAKICH GIFFE, AKA - VICTIM (DECEASED);

BRENT QUINTON DOWNS - VICTIM (DECEASED);

VICTIM, CAA - HIJACKING; KIDNAPING, FTCA. OO: JACKSONVILLE

MEMPHIS NITEL SUMMARY OCTOBER TWENTYEIGHT, ONE NINE SEVEN ONE.

USA'S OFFICE, NDT, PRESENTLY MAKING ARRANGEMENTS WITH IRS DISTRICT OFFICE, NASHVILLE, IN ORDER THAT IRS RECORDS RE SUBJECT GIFFE'S TAX AUDIT, YEARS ONE NINE SIX EIGHT THROUGH ONE NINE SEVEN ZERO, MAY BE OBTAINED AS EXPEDITIOUSLY AS POSSIBLE.

ALL TOWER PERSONNEL AT NASHVILLE METRO AIRPORT HAVE BEEN INTERVIEWED AND ALL PERSONS ON DUTY AT TIME OF HIJACKING DID NOT OBSERVE ACTUAL HIJACK AT BIG BROTHERS AIRCRAFT, INC.

CONTACT WITH USA'S OFFICE, NDT, THIS DATE, DETERMINED TIME FOR PETITIONERS TO FILE ANSWERS TO GOVERNMENT'S OPPOSITION EXTENDED UNTIL FOUR TO FIVE P.M., THIS DATE. DETAILS OF ANSWERS WILL BE SECURED AND REAUMPTLY ADVISED.

JACKSONVILLE NOTE COPIES OF ALL PREVIOUS PETITIONS AND MOTIONS HAVE FORWARDED TO BUREAU AND JACKSONVILLE AND

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ALL ADDITIONAL PETITIONS AND RESPONSES ARE IN DICTATION AND COPIES FORWARDED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

THE TRANSCRIPTION OF NASHVILLE TOWER CONVERSATIONS OBTAINED FROM COPY OF ORIGINAL TAPE HAVE BEEN CORRELATED AND DONE. DUE TO SOME DISTORTION OF COPY AN AMENDED FD THREE ZERO TWO OF NOMINAL CHANGE WILL APPEAR IN NEXT MEMPHIS REPORT.

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IF LOCATED A SUBPOENA WILL BE OBTAINED TO SECURE ALL INFORMATION AVAILABLE.

SOURCE AT [REDACTED] CAN POSSIBLY IDENTIFY ITEM SUBJECT GIFFE FLASHED, WHICH HE REPRESENTED TO BE RECEIPT FOR DEPOSIT OF FUNDS IN SWISS ACCOUNT.

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RECORDS, CREDIT BUREAU OF GALLATIN, TENNESSEE, FORMER RESIDENCE OF SUBJECT [REDACTED] INDICATE [REDACTED] KNOWN TO THEM SINCE AUGUST, ONE NINE SIX ONE, WITH LAST CREDIT INFORMATION

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NOVEMBER, ONE NINE SIX SEVEN AND MAINTAINS SATISFACTORY RATING.

SUBJECT [REDACTED] HAS NO CRIMINAL RECORDS AT GALLATIN, TENNESSEEX, PD.

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INVESTIGATION AT GALLATIN, TENNESSEE, DETERMINED [REDACTED] GRADUATED [REDACTED] HIGH SCHOOL, [REDACTED] MAY OF [REDACTED] FORTYSIX IN CLASS OF FIFTYNINE AND ALL PERSONS CONTACTED COMMENTED FAVORABLY RE [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] NO BEHAVIORAL PROBLEM.

COP GALLATIN, JAMES BRAZIER (NA), SAID HE DOES NOT PERSONALLY KNOW [REDACTED] BUT [REDACTED] WAS XBEST MAN AT [REDACTED] [REDACTED] WEDDING SEVERAL YEARS AGO. BRAZIER KNOWS OF NO CRIMINAL ACTIVITY RE [REDACTED]

FD THREE ZERO TWOS RE PURCHASE OF ONE NINE SEVEN ZERO CADILLAC BY SUBJECT GIFFE AT KELLY CADILLAC, CHATTANOOGA, TENNESSEE, RECEIVED MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE, AND WILL BE SET FORTH IN NEXT MEMPHIS REPORT.

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THROUGH INVENTORY OF ITEMS OWNED BY SUBJECT GIFFE, AT  
JACKSONVILLE, DETERMINE IF SWISS ACCOUNT RECEIPT OR OTHER  
ITEM POSSIBLY RESEMBLING RECEIPT WAS LATE<sup>ST</sup> <sup>R F A</sup> <sup>ED</sup> FORWARD TO  
MEMPHIS DIVISION FOR DISPLAY TO SOURCE WHO MAY IDENTIFY THE  
ITEM.

THIS CASE IS RECEIVING PREFERRED AND CONTINUOUS ATTENTION.

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LRS FBI WASHDC CLR



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

OCT 28 1971

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NR006 ME PLAIN.

8:40PM NITEL 10-28-71 DBC

TO: DIRECTOR

JACKSONVILLE (164-103)

FROM: MEMPHIS (164-76) (2P)

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Miller, ES	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
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GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., AKA (DECEASED); [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] SUSAN LAKICH GIFFE, AKA - VICTIM (DECEASED);

BRENT QUINTON DOWNS - VICTIM (DECEASED); [REDACTED]

VICTIM; CAA - HIJACKING; FTCA. 00: JACKSONVILLE.

RE MEMPHIS SUMMARY NITEL OCTOBER TWENTYEIGHT, INSTANT.

THIS DATE, LATE P.M., HOURS, U.S. DISTRICT COURT CLERK'S OFFICE, MDT, NASHVILLE, REMAINED OPEN PAST USUAL CLOSE OF BUSINESS TO RECEIVE RESPONSES OF PETITIONERS AND INTERVENORS UPON REQUEST OF U. S. DISTRICT COURT JUDGE FRANK GRAY, JR., WHO REQUESTED THESE BE FILED BY ONE THIRTY P. M., THIS DATE.

FILED AT U. S. DISTRICT COURT CLERK'S OFFICE AND RECEIVED USA'S OFFICE, MDT, NASHVILLE, SAME DATE WERE THE FOLLOWING:  
(ONE) SUPPLEMENTAL MEMORANDUM <sup>IN</sup> ~~OPPOSITION~~ TO MOTIONS TO INTERVENE, IN OPPOSING THE APPLICATION TO HAVE TRANSCRIPT MADE PART OF PUBLIC RECORD AND IN OPPOSITION TO PETITION PURSUANT TO RULE TWENTYSEVEN, FEDERAL RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE FILED BY GOVERNMENT.

(TWO) MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT OF INTERVENTION AND PETITION FOR

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DISCLOSURE OF PUBLIC RECORDS FILED BY WLAC-TV.

(THREE) MEMORANDUM OF WSM, INC., IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO INTERVENE.

(FOUR) PETITIONERS MEMORANDUM BRIEF FILED BY ATTORNEYS ON BEHALF OF [REDACTED] AND BIG BROTHERS AIRCRAFT.

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THE MEMORANDA FILED BY WSM AND WLAC-TV ARE IN RESPONSE TO GOVERNMENT'S OPPOSITION TO INTERVENE FILED OCTOBER TWENTYSIX, LAST.

COPY OF THE ABOVE WILL BE FORWARDED TO BUREAU AND JACKSONVILLE IN EXPEDITIOUS MANNER.

THIS CASE IS RECEIVING ~~AND~~ CONTINUOUS ATTENTION.

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TO SACS JACKSONVILLE (164-103)  
MEMPHIS (164-76)

FROM DIRECTOR FBI <sup>REC-14</sup> (164-2042) — 131

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GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., AKA (DECEASED), ET AL., CAA;  
KIDNAPING; FTCA. OO: JACKSONVILLE.

RE JACKSONVILLE TELETYPE SUMMARY TEN TWENTYEIGHT LAST.

JACKSONVILLE HOLD REQUEST FOR INVESTIGATION LEGAT BERN UNTIL  
FINANCIAL BACKGROUND FULLY DEVELOPED ON GIFFE. IF INVESTIGATION  
THEN WARRANTS CONTACT WITH BERN, SUBMIT SUMMARY OF CASE AND  
REQUESTED LEADS IN FORM OF LHM FOR APPROPRIATE DISSEMINATION.

IN VIEW OF FACT  CHARGED WITH CAPITAL OFFENSE NAMES  
AND ADDRESSES OF AGENTS WHO WERE WITNESSES AT JACKSONVILLE SHOULD  
BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE DEFENSE ATTORNEY UPON REQUEST. THE  
QUESTION AS TO WHETHER AN AGENT SHOULD SUBMIT TO INTERVIEW TO A  
DEFENSE ATTORNEY IS A PERSONAL DECISION THAT MUST BE MADE BY EACH  
AGENT.

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
Miller, E.S. \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Dalbey \_\_\_\_\_  
DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
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Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
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Trotter \_\_\_\_\_  
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Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

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TELETYPE TO SACS JACKSONVILLE  
MEMPHIS

RE: GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR.

*Probably* NOTE: By teletype dated 10/28/71 Jacksonville advised they had received a request from defendant [ ] attorney requesting that names and addresses of Agents that were witnesses at Jacksonville be made available and that these Agents be made available for interview at the earliest possible time. This matter has been discussed with the Office of Legal Counsel. Inasmuch as [ ] has been charged with a capital offense the law requires that all witnesses, their names and addresses be made available to the defense upon request. The decision as to whether an individual Agent submits himself for interview by the defense attorney is a personal decision. Jacksonville had indicated they had referred this request to the U. S. Attorney and indicated Agent witnesses would not be made available to the defense attorney. Investigation completed so far has failed to indicate a need to have Legat Bern conduct any investigation regarding Giffe's "supposed" bank account in Switzerland.

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6:05 PM NITEL 10-28-71 ALH

TO DIRECTOR (164-2042)

MEMPHIS (164-76)

FROM JACKSONVILLE (164-103)

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GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., AKA (DECEASED);

SUSAN LAKICH GIFFE, AKA - VICTIM (DECEASED); BRENT QUINTON DOWNS -

VICTIM (DECEASED); - VICTIM; CAA - HIJACKING,

INTIMIDATION OF CREW MEMBERS, CARRYING A CONCEALED WEAPON; KIDNAPPING;

ETCA. OO: JACKSONVILLE.

DAILY SUMMARY

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ON THIS DATE, PHOTOGRAPHS, ENGINEER DRAWINGS, AND CRIME SCENE  
SKETCHES OF JACKSONVILLE CRIME SCENE FORWARDED TO EXHIBIT SECTION FOR  
PREPARATION OF MATERIAL FOR FORTHCOMING PROSECUTION IN THIS MATTER.  
CONTACT WITH USA, JACKSONVILLE, TODAY, RE DESIRABILITY OF EITHER A  
MOCK-UP OF AIRCRAFT OR APPROPRIATE EXHIBIT DISCUSSED. DECISION TO BE  
MADE BY USA IN NEAR FUTURE RE TYPE OF EXHIBIT RELATIVE TO AIRCRAFT  
FOR USE IN CRIMINAL AND CIVIL ACTIONS IN THIS MATTER.

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[Signature]

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REVIEW OF PERSONAL EFFECTS OF GIFFE FOUND ABOARD AIRCRAFT  
NEGATIVE AS TO LOCATION OF ANY MATERIAL RELATIVE TO SWISS BANKS OR  
"BANQUE OF GENEVE".

ADDITIONAL SURFACE WEATHER INFORMATION FOR ORLANDO, DAYTONA BEACH,  
AND WEST PALM BEACH, FLORIDA, RECEIVED AND FORWARDED TO OKLAHOMA CITY  
FOR DISSEMINATION TO FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION OFFICES. ONLY  
REMAINING MATERIAL PERTAINING TO WEATHER ARE WINDS ALOFT INFORMATION,  
WHICH SHOULD BE AVAILABLE IN NEXT FEW DAYS.

LETTER OF REQUEST RECEIVED BY JACKSONVILLE FROM ATTORNEY FOR

AG  REQUESTING THAT NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF AGENTS WHO WERE  
WITNESSES AT JACKSONVILLE BE MADE AVAILABLE. REQUEST CONTINUES THAT  
AGENTS BE MADE AVAILABLE AS WITNESSES AT EARLIEST POSSIBLE TIME. THIS  
MATTER REFERRED TO USA FOR DECISION, ALTHOUGH INITIAL INDICATIONS ARE  
THAT AGENTS WILL NOT BE MADE AVAILABLE.

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BUREAU WILL BE PROMPTLY ADVISED OF FINAL DECISION OF USA,  
JACKSONVILLE IN THIS MATTER.

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Date: 10/30/71

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code).Via AIR MAIL AIRTEL  
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (164-2042)

FROM: SAC, JACKSONVILLE (164-103) (P)

SUBJECT: GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., aka (Deceased);  
[REDACTED]  
 CR SUSAN LAKICH GIFFE, aka - victim (Deceased);  
BRENT QUINTON DOWNS - victim (Deceased);  
[REDACTED] - victim  
 CAA - HIJACKING, INTIMIDATION OF CREW MEMBERS,  
 CARRYING A CONCEALED WEAPON; KIDNAPING;  
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Enclosed for the Bureau and Memphis are two copies each of Western Union Telegraphic Money order receipt #433 10 091, in the amount of \$12,000 which was sent to subject GIFFE by [REDACTED], Buenos Aires, Argentina.

In view of the mutilated status of the above original document, the text is set forth below:

"CONSTANT WORK, QUALITY TAKES TIME, GRASS IS MUCH GREENER NOW, WILL OCCUPY TOTAL SPACE, SINCERE ABOUT COMPLETE DISCOUNT, CAN UTILIZE ALL BASES; STOP .....

[REDACTED] BUENOS AIRES, ARGENTINA " 8

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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Special Agent in Charge

Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_

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MEMPHIS

AT NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

Will at [REDACTED]  
recontact sources and determine [REDACTED]

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# TELEGRAPHIC MONEY ORDER RECEIPT

PAYMENT IN THE AMOUNT

OF \$ RECEIVED.

SIGNED

Send the following Money Order subject to conditions below and on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

MOD 433 10 091

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PAY AMOUNT: TWELVE-THOUSAND DOLLARS AND

\$12,000.00

TO: CONTINENTAL RESEARCH CONSULTANTS

ADDRESS: SAVARIA J-11, 1501 PACKARD DRIVE

CITY-STATE NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE 37211

CONSTANT WORK, QUALITY TAKES TIME,  
GRASS IS MUCH GREENER NOW, WILL OCCUPY TOTAL SPACE, SINCERE ABOUT  
COMPLETE DISCOUNT, CAN UTILIZE ALL BASES, STOP.....

ENDER'S FULL NAME: ALFRED LACCINO, ADDRESS: CONTINENTAL RESEARCH CONSULTANTS, TELEPHONE:

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COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

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6:30 PM URGENT 10-29-71 ALH

TO DIRECTOR (164-2042)

MEMPHIS (164-76)

FROM JACKSONVILLE (164-103) (P)

GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., AKA (DECEASED); [REDACTED] SUSAN  
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OF CREW MEMBERS, CARRYING A CONCEALED WEAPON; KIDNAPPING; FTCA.

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JACKSONVILLE DAILY SUMMARY, OCT. TWENTYNINE, NINETEEN SEVENTYONE.

ON THIS DATE, OPERATOR, FERNANDINA BEACH AIRPORT, FLA., ADVISED  
THAT ONLY JET AIRCRAFT USING THAT FIELD IS LEAR JET OWNED AND  
OPERATED BY CONTAINER CORPORATION OF AMERICA. THIS AIRCRAFT APPEARS  
AT FERNANDINA BEACH ONLY ONCE OR TWICE A YEAR. OPERATOR FURTHER  
STATES NO KNOWLEDGE OF A [REDACTED] NOR DOES HE HAVE ANY KNOWLEDGE  
OF SUBJECT, GIFFE.

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[REDACTED] AIRKAMAN, JACKSONVILLE INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, STATED THIS DATE THAT ON MORNING OF OCT. FOUR, LAST, FIRST SHOT WHICH HE HEARD FROM THE AREA OF THE AIRCRAFT WAS DESCRIBED BY HIM AS IF COMING FROM A TWENTYTWO CALIBER WEAPON, VERY SOFT. HE SAID HE WENT INTO THE TERMINAL BUILDING, ALONG WITH THE OTHER PILOTS WHO WERE THERE AND REMAINED FOR A SHORT TIME. HE SAID THAT ONE OR TWO OF THE PILOTS WENT BACK OUT TO HIS AIRCRAFT AND THEN RETURNED IN A SHORT TIME AS ADDITIONAL SHOTS WERE FIRED. [REDACTED] STATED THAT HE LEFT THE BUILDING AND WENT TO THE PARKING LOT TO THE IMMEDIATE REAR WHERE HE THEN HEARD THE FINAL SHOT FIRED INTO THE AIRCRAFT ENGINE WHICH HE DESCRIBED AS VERY LOUD AND THAT HE HEARD THE ENGINE IN A HIGH PITCHED WHINE JUST BEFORE IT STOPPED.

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[REDACTED] STATES THAT THE TIME PERIOD FROM WHEN HE HEARD THE FIRST SHOT TO WHEN THE PILOTS CAME BACK IN THE BUILDING FOR THE SECOND TIME AFTER THEY HEARD THE SECOND SHOTS WAS APPROXIMATELY FIVE TO SEVEN MINUTES.

AUSA [REDACTED] JACKSONVILLE, ADVISED THIS DATE THAT [REDACTED] ATTORNEY, [REDACTED] ADVISED THAT NASHVILLE ATTORNEY [REDACTED] WILL BE RETAINED ON A PAID BASIS BY FRIENDS AND [REDACTED] ON MONDAY, NOV. ONE, SEVENTYONE, [REDACTED] WILL ATTEMPT TO HAVE CONFERENCE WITH USDJ TJOFLET, JACKSONVILLE FOR PURPOSE OF INDICATING THAT HE, [REDACTED]

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SHOULD BE RETAINED AS INDIGENT LAWYER FOR [ ] DUE TO [ ]  
FINANCIAL CONDITION. HOWEVER, [ ] INDICATED THAT THERE MAY BE  
SUFFICIENT MAONY AVAILABLE IN NASHVILLE TO CARRY HIM AS A PAID  
ATTORNEY FOR [ ]

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AUSA [ ] ADVISED THAT GOVERNMENT WILL VIGOROUSLY OPPOSE USE OF  
[ ] AS COURT APPOINTED ATTORNEY. GOVERNMENT WILL CONSENT TO  
OMNIBUS PROCEEDINGS ONLY IF CASE NOT TRANSFERRED TO NASHVILLE.

IF CASE REMAINS IN JACKSONVILLE, GOVERNMENT WILL ENTER INTO  
OMNIBUS PROCEEDINGS BUT AVAILABILITY OF BUREAU AGENTS TO DEFENSE WILL  
BE DECLINED FOR ANY TIME NEAR FUTURE.

CLOSE CONTACT BEING MAINTAINED WITH USA'S OFFICE, JACKSONVILLE  
AND BUREAU WILL BE ADVISED OF ALL PERTINENT DEVELOPMENTS.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. Bates *[initials]*

FROM : R. Gallagher *[initials]*

SUBJECT: GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR. (DECEASED)  
[redacted]

DATE: October 26, 1971

1 - Mr. Rosen  
1 - Mr. Bates  
1 - [redacted]  
1 - Mr. Gallagher  
1 - [redacted]  
1 - Mr. Felt  
1 - Mr. Mohr  
1 - Mr. Bishop  
1 - Mr. Callahan  
1 - Mr. Dalbey

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MRS. GEORGE M. GIFFE, JR. AKA -  
VICTIM (DECEASED); BRENT DOWNS  
VICTIM (DECEASED); [redacted]  
VICTIM. CAA - HIJACKING; KIDNAPING;  
FTCA.

In connection with the civil suit filed against the Bureau as a result of the 10/4/71 hijacking of private chartered flight from Nashville, Tennessee, to Jacksonville, Florida, information has been received that on 10/21/71 WLAC-TV Incorporated, a Nashville, Tennessee, T.V. station filed a motion in U. S. District Court to intervene in the civil suit in connection with the voice tape recordings made by Federal Aviation Administration authorities during the hijack incident. Their motion alleges the T. V. corporation has an interest in the property which is the subject of the original action on the part of the Big Brothers Aircraft Incorporated which original motion pertained to the voice recordings in the possession of FAA. The petition states the T. V. corporation attempted to have the tapes made available but that this has been refused and the petition further states that the tapes are of substantial and legitimate public interest and public records.

U. S. Attorney (USA) Charles Anderson, Nashville, Tennessee, is aware of the motion and has learned from official of WSM-TV Incorporated that they also intend to file a similar motion. USA Anderson states a hearing on WLAC-TV's motion is scheduled for U. S. District Court the afternoon of 10/26/71 and advises that he intends to vigorously resist intervention on the grounds of artificial connections. USA Anderson has discussed his procedure with both Civil and Criminal Divisions of the Department of Justice and will also resist on the basis that the T. V. station has no right to the information requested and that they have not complied with appropriate administrative procedure as outlined in the Public Information Act.

ACTION: Our Memphis Office is closely following this matter and will immediately advise the Bureau of the results of the hearing.

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TO DIRECTOR, JACKSONVILLE, AND MEMPHIS

FROM LOUISVILLE (164-68)

GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE JR., AKA. (DECEASED);

SUSAN LAKICH GIFFE, AKA. -VICTIM (DECEASED); BRENT QUINTON

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CAA - HIJACKING, INTIMIDATION OF CREW MEMBERS, CARRYING A CONCEALED  
WEAPON; KIDNAPING; FTCA, OO: JACKSONVILLE.

RE CHARLOTTE TELETYPE TO BUREAU TEN TWENTYNINE LAST.

ON OCT. THIRTY LAST,

WERE INTERVIEWED CONCERNING

THEIR ASSOCIATION WITH SUBJECT

HAS KNOWN SINCE

AND THEY HAVE BEEN FRIENDS SINCE. HE STATED THAT SINCE

FATHER DIED IN MARCH OF NINETEEN SEVENTYONE, HAS

BEEN CHANGED MAN, SEEMING TO HAVE LOST HIS INITIATIVE AND HIS

DRIVE. HE SAID THE LAST SEVERAL MONTHS HAD

BEEN TRYING TO GET A NIGHT CLUB, THE "U BRA", GOING IN NASHVILLE,

TENN., BUT HAS SPENT MOST OF HIS TIME LYING AROUND THE HOUSE.

HE STATED THE HAD FALLEN A MONTH BEHIND IN RENT AND

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[REDACTED] HAD GIVEN HIM AN ULTIMATUM TO GET OUT AND START PROVIDING FOR HIS FAMILY BY NOVEMBER FIRST OR SHE WOULD LEAVE HIM FOR GOOD.

[REDACTED] CALLED [REDACTED] TELEPHONICALLY FRIDAY AFTER HIS RETURN FROM JACKSONVILLE AT HIS HOME, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] THEY SPOKE BRIEFLY AND DURING THE CONVERSATION [REDACTED] STATED "BOY DID I GET TOOK", WHICH [REDACTED] FELT RELATED TO [REDACTED] RELATIONS WITH GIFFE. [REDACTED] ALSO SPENT THE DAY OF THE

HIJACKING WITH [REDACTED] AT THE HOME OF [REDACTED]

AFTER BUAGENTS HAD INTERVIEWED [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] STATED THAT [REDACTED] NIGHTCLUB PARTNER, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HAD ATTENDED A PARTY AT THE HOME OF

SUBJECT GRIFFE, AND [REDACTED] DESCRIBED GRIFFE'S HOME AS A NATIONAL GUARD ARMORY. APPARANTLY GIFFE HAD NUMEROUS WEAPONS IN HIS HOME, INCLUDING A MACHINGUN, AND AT THE PARTY GIFFE AND OTHERS WERE PLAYING WITH THE MANY GUNS.

BOTH [REDACTED] STATED THAT THEY CANNOT BELIEVE THAT [REDACTED] ACTUALLY HAD ANY IDEA AS TO HOW SERIOUS A SITUATION HE WAS GETTING INTO WITH GIFFE AND FURTHER THAT BOTH [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HAD WARNED HIM ABOUT HIS ASSOCIATION WITH GIFFE. INFORMATION FURNISHED BY [REDACTED] IS BASED ON THEIR CONVERSTIONS WITH

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[REDACTED] HAVE NEVER MET [REDACTED]

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OR [REDACTED] OR GIFFE AND HAVE NO IDEA WHERE THEY RESIDE  
OTHER THAN NASHVILLE TENN.

FULL DETAILS CONCERNING THIS INTERVIEW WILL BE SET FORTH IN  
FD THREE ZERO TWOS FORWARDED BY AIRTEL.

MEMPHIS AT NASHVILLE CONDUCT APPROPRIATE INVESTIGATION WITH  
REGARD TO IDENTIFYING AND INTERVIEWING [REDACTED]  
PARTNER MENTIONED ABOVE.

THE BUREAU HAS DIRECTED THAT THIS MATTER BE GIVEN PREFERRED  
AND CONTINUOUS ATTENTION AND ALL LEADS COVERED ON EXPEDITE  
BASIS.

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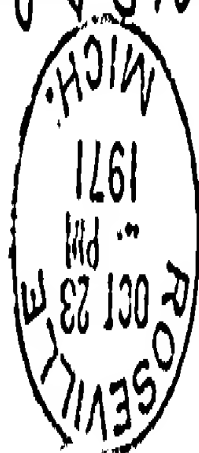
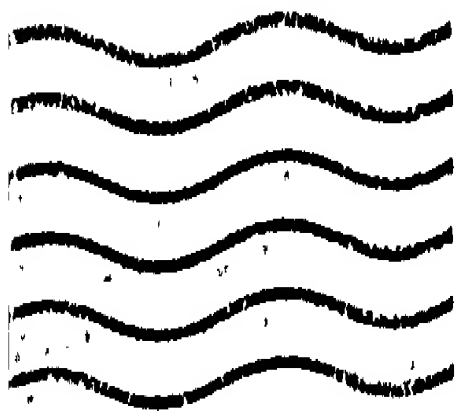
Att:

MR. EDGAR J. HOOVER

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D.C.

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OFFICE OF DIRECTOR  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
October 26, 1971

Attached newspaper clipping was sent  
to the Director by an anonymous  
source from Roseville, Michigan.

MR. TOLSON ☒  
MR. FELT ☒  
MR. ROSEN ☒  
MR. MOHR ☒  
MR. BISHOP ☒  
MR. MILLER, E.S. ☒  
MR. CALLAHAN ☒  
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MISS GANDY ☒

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# FBI Blamed in Plane Deaths

JACKSONVILLE, Fla.—(UPI)—The father of a young woman kidnapped and murdered Monday during an attempted hijacking criticized the FBI Tuesday for disabling the plane to prevent a flight to the Bahamas.

George Mallory Giffe Jr. killed his estranged wife, Mrs. Susan Larich Giffe, and a charter plane pilot, Brent Q. Downs, after again shot out the tires and one engine on the small plane on an isolated airport runway.

"I think the FBI made a gross error," said (ret.- Army Maj. Joseph S. Lakich at his Nashville home. "I know George did not intend to kill her unless caged and cornered."

"HE SAW THAT THE FBI had him cornered," Lakich continued. "There was no way of escaping. So he decided to make everybody with him."

Lakich was joined in his criticism of the FBI action by Mack Brothers Jr., who operates a small charter airline in Nashville and owns the hijacked plane.

"If it had not been for the fact that the FBI took matters in their own hands, the pilot probably would be alive," Brothers said.

Special FBI agent W. M. Alexander said Tuesday he would have "no further comment" on the hijacking.

Brothers said the FBI tried to "bluff" Giffe, a hulking real estate operator and self-styled warlock, and the attempt failed.

"The airplane captain, not the FBI, has the right to make the decision in hijacking because he is there and has firsthand knowledge of the condition of the hijacker," said Brothers.

Brothers said the plane's co-pilot, Randall G. Crump, 32, left the plane "to beg authorities to give him fuel, and tell them how desperate Giffe was. He knew the hijacker would kill them all—and he did."

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5:33 PM URGENT 10-29-71 DAM

TO : DIRECTOR

ATLANTA

JACKSONVILLE 164-103

LOUISVILLE

MEMPHIS 164-76

FROM : CHARLOTTE 164-98 7P P

GEORGE MALLORY GIFFE, JR., AKA. (DECEASED); [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] SUSAN LAKICH GIFFE, AKA.- VICTIM (DECEASED);

BRENT QUINTON DOWNS - VICTIM (DECEASED); [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] VICTIM, CAA - HIJACKING, INTIMIDATION OF CREW

MEMBERS, CARRYING A CONCEALED WEAPON; KIDNAPING; FTCA,

OO : JK.

RE JACKSONVILLE TELETYPE DATED OCTOBER TWENTY EIGHT,

NINETEEN SEVENTY ONE.

[REDACTED] LIVED [REDACTED] FROM MAY TWELVE, NINETEEN

SIXTY NINE UNTIL AUGUST THIRTY, NINETEEN SIXTY NINE, AND

RECEIVED MAIL AT [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] EMPLOYED MAGNAVOX CORPORATION, ANDREWS, N. C.,  
AS [REDACTED] FROM MAY TWELVE, NINETEEN SIXTY NINE  
TO AUGUST FIFTEEN, NINETEEN SIXTY NINE, AT WHICH TIME HE WAS  
DISCHARGED FOR [REDACTED] LISTED  
PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENTS AS WHITE ENGINEERING COMPANY, INC.,  
NASHVILLE, TENN., NINETEEN SIXTY EIGHT TO NINETEEN SIXTY NINE,  
KEY MANUFACTURING COMPANY, INC., GALLATIN, TENN., NINETEEN  
SIXTY FIVE TO NINETEEN SIXTY EIGHT, EATON YALE TOWNE INC.,  
GALLATIN, TENN., NINETEEN SIXTY ONE TO NINETEEN SIXTY FIVE,  
U. S. NAVY, MAY, NINETEEN FIFTY SEVEN TO MAY, NINETEEN SIXTY  
ONE.

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[REDACTED] DESCRIBED AS WHITE MALE, BORN [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] (NO STATE  
LISTED), SIX FEET TWO INCHES, TWO HUNDRED SEVENTY POUNDS,  
SSAN [REDACTED] WIFE  
[REDACTED] CHILDREN - [REDACTED] AGE [REDACTED] HIGH  
SCHOOL GRADUATE, [REDACTED] TWENTY ONE HOURS  
ENGINEERING UNIVERSITY OF TENN., NASHVILLE EXTENTION.  
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REFERENCES LISTED AS [REDACTED] WHOLESALE GROCER,  
GALLATIN, TENN.; [REDACTED] OWNER ENGINEERING FIRM,  
NASHVILLE, TENN.; [REDACTED] ENGINEER, FRANKLIN, KENTUCKY.

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WHEN [REDACTED] LEFT [REDACTED] HIS FORWARDING  
ADDRESS WAS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HIS TELEPHONE NUMBER

WHILE AT [REDACTED] WAS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WHITE MALE, BORN [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] SSAN [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] PRESENTLY EMPLOYED BY UNKNOWN PLUMBING CONCERN,  
MARIETTA, GA., WIFE [REDACTED] EMPLOYED BIG APPLE SUPERMARKET,  
ADDRESS UNKNOWN.

[REDACTED] WHITE MALE, BORN [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] SSAN [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] PRESENTLY EMPLOYED WELLS AND WEST CONTRACTORS  
BUILDING BRIARWOOD HEIGHTS APTS., RHODISS, N. C.

[REDACTED] WERE FIRED AT SAME TIME [REDACTED] WAS  
AND WERE REPORTEDLY HIS CLOSEST ASSOCIATES WHILE EMPLOYED  
AT MAGNOVOX.

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[REDACTED] REPORTEDLY ATTENDED FIRE  
PREVENTION CONFERENCE OF MAGNOVOX EMPLOYEES, GREENVILLE, TENN.,  
AND THE THREE REPORTEDLY CAUSED CONSIDERABLE DISTURBANCE  
AT MOTEL THEY WERE STAYING AT WHEN THEY WENT SWIMMING IN  
THE NUDE.

[REDACTED] HAD REPUTATION OF BEING HEAVY DRINKER.

NO FURTHER COURT RECORD LOCATED ANDREWS PD., SO CHEROKEE  
COUNTY OR CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT, CHEROKEE COUNTY, MURPHY,  
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[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] COPIES OF HIS

BANK STATEMENTS ARE AVAILABLE IF NEEDED AND THE PROPER PERSON  
TO BE SUBPOENAED SHOULD THE COMPLETE BANK RECORDS BE NEEDED  
WOULD BE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] WOULD BE THE PROPER PERSON TO FURNISH [REDACTED] COMPLETE  
RECORDS WITH [REDACTED]

ATLANTA, AT MARIETTA, GA., WILL THROUGH [REDACTED]  
EMPLOYED BIG APPLE SUPERMARKET, LOCATE AND INTERVIEW [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] REGARDING HIS ASSOCIATION WITH [REDACTED] AND  
OBTAIN COMPLETE CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING [REDACTED]  
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MEMPHIS, AT NASHVILLE, TENN., WILL AT [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] VERIFY RESIDENCE OF [REDACTED] AT THAT LOCATION AND  
DETERMINE WHO OCCUPIED APARTMENT WITH [REDACTED] AND HIS  
EMPLOYMENT AT THAT TIME.

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MEMPHIS, AT NASHVILLE, TENN., WILL LOCATE AND INTERVIEW

[REDACTED] ENGINEERING FIRM, NASHVILLE, TENN.,

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REGARDING HIS ASSOCIATION WITH [REDACTED]

MEMPHIS, AT NASHVILLE, TENN., AT UNIVERSITY OF  
TENN. EXTENTION, DETERMINE [REDACTED] ATTENDANCE AND  
COURSES PURSUED.

MEMPHIS, AT GALLATIN, TENN., WILL VERIFY SUBJECT'S  
EMPLOYMENT, KEY MANUFACTURING COMPANY, NINETEEN SIXTY FIVE  
TO NINETEEN SIXTY EIGHT, AND EATON YALE TOWNE INC.,  
NINETEEN SIXTY ONE TO NINETEEN SIXTY FIVE REGARDING SUBJECT  
AND OBTAIN COMPLETE INFORMATION THEREFROM.

MEMPHIS, AT GALLATIN, TENN., WILL INTERVIEW [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] REGARDING HIS ASSOCIATION WITH [REDACTED]

LOUISVILLE, AT FRANKLIN, KENTUCKY, WILL INTERVIEW

[REDACTED] REGARDING HIS ASSOCIATION WITH [REDACTED]

CHARLOTTE, AT RHODISS, N. C., WILL THROUGH WELLS AND  
WEST CONTRACTORS COMPANY, LOCATE AND INTERVIEW [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] REGARDING CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING [REDACTED]

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THE BUREAU HAS DIRECTED THAT THIS MATTER BE GIVEN  
PREFERRED AND CONTINUOUS ATTENTION AND ALL LEADS COVERED  
ON EXPEDITE BASIS.

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